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ALL HERRIN RIOT INDICTMENTS NOLLED

Rabbi Slain By Man In Sailor's Uniform

SAN FRANCISCO, CALIF., April 7.—(By the Associated Press)—Naval authorities today joined in the search for a man garbed in a sailor's uniform wanted in connection with the death of Rabbi Alfred G. Lafee, conspicuous Jewish figure and head of a large down town synagogue.

Surgeons operated in an effort to save the Rabbi's life, but he never regained consciousness fully, dying late yesterday. He was attacked Wednesday.

Soon after the operation he was unconscious for a few seconds when he muttered the words "fight" and "chir" which were interpreted to refer to his assailant. Hospital attendants were stationed by his bedside constantly, hoping he might regain consciousness and give a clew.

Already naval authorities have combed the naval training station here and the Mare Island Naval Station for the man who wore the naval uniform, a partial description of whom was given by a hotel clerk. The name signed by him on a hotel register is believed to have been fictitious. It is known that the Rabbi also signed the register under an assumed name.

The two occupied the same room. The unknown man left early Wednesday morning and later the Rabbi was found wandering dazedly about the room.

Several motives have been advanced for the assault, among them robbery, although the police admitedly are mystified by the whole episode.

A watch and a diamond pin were stolen from the Rabbi.

Rabbi Lafee was prominent because of his attainments in extreme youth. He held the degree of Doctor of Philosophy, and was 22 years of age.

Slain By Bandits

WOOSTER, O., April 7.—(By the Associated Press)—Charles Bitzer, 35 was dead here today, one of a band of four men who it is believed robbed and then killed him, was arrested and in custody of police and posse of farmers was hunting for the other three.

Bitzer was shot to death at the Shoffer Gas Company's booster station near West Salem at 3:00 o'clock this morning, after the four bandits had attempted to rob him. A fellow worker escaped and he and Foreman Samuel Rush pursued the men, coming near enough to pump the body of one of them full of buck shot. The wounded man has not been identified. The others escaped in freight train.

Poincare Sets Her Free

PARIS—Madame Ferrer arrested Paris for insulting Poincare, is set at French premier's request.

Get Rid Of Relics

LONDON—British museum in London is flooded with Egyptian relics as gifts from folks who are afraid by Carnarvon's death, London Daily Express declares.

HAMBONE'S MEDITATIONS

By J. P. Alley

What's Going On In The World

BY CHARLES P. STEWART
NEA Staff Writer

THAT France will fail to overcome Germany's resistance to her Ruhr plans is a thing the Paris government isn't afraid of a bit, according to Gallic spokesmen.

STEWART

It's acknowledged that the French aren't getting as much coal as before they entered the Ruhr. It isn't disputed that the invasion has been expensive. It's conceded that the government has had to overcome considerable opposition at home.

All that doesn't bother them, the French leaders say. They declare Germany has suffered so much more acutely than France that even now she's on the verge of yielding. When she does so, the French expect to get back all they put into the enterprise, and more too.

That is to say, that's what they expect, provided they're left to affect their own settlement with the Germans. What they fear is that somebody'll try to "but in."

At any rate, so the Paris press says.

Outside Help Isn't Wanted

THE view expressed by the French newspapers is that their country bore the brunt of the war, won it, and then other countries that took part in the peace negotiations cuchred her out of a lot of the advantages she'd have claimed of she'd made her own terms with Germany.

The press is fearful now, France having shouldered all the expense and trouble and taken all the risks of the Ruhr occupation, that outsiders will try again to prevent her from getting the full benefit of that, too.

This, some of the papers say quite frankly, is why the French are so suspicious of mediation. They have an idea the mediators will think more about their own interests than they will about France's.

Burma's Wealth of Oil

JUST as he was leaving the cabinet ex-Secretary of the Interior Fall charged that a conspiracy, including

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U. S. Opposed To World Police Force

BY DAVID LAWRENCE
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WASHINGTON, April 7 — The proposal of the president of the naval commission of the French senate that all the big navies of the world be scrapped and in their places be created an international police force to which all countries shall contribute so as to make an armed league of nations, will hardly get the approval of the United States government.

The same suggestion in principle was made at the Paris peace conference by the French delegation and rejected by President Wilson. Since that time President Harding has in his addresses to congress unequivocally disapproved of any alliance of nations based on armed force and has insisted that the peace of the world can better be maintained through the moral force of an enlightened world

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More Klan Court Moves

ATLANTA, GA., April 7.—(By the Associated Press)—Further developments in the Ku Klux Klan faction fight await the decision of Superior Court Judge E. D. Thomas on the injunction sought by W. J. Simmons, Emperor, to restrain Dr. H. W. Evans, Imperial Wizard, from interfering with Simmons' control of the Klan.

Another move was the case brought into the municipal court before Judge Hathaway yesterday by the Simmons faction charging larceny after trust against T. J. McKinnon, Klan investigator, and N. N. Furney, cashier. The plaintiffs are alleged to have removed funds of the order to keep the Simmons faction from obtaining control of them.

While the opposing counsel closed arguments on the Simmons injunction and the larceny after trust case was filed in Municipal court against the officers of the Evans administration, a third wing of the organization commonly termed the "insurgent faction" came forth with a petition for a receiver for the Knights of the Ku Klux Klan. The petition prayed that the organization was functioning under no duly elected chief executive. It includes in the list of defendants the names of members of both the Simmons factions and the Evans following.

700 Invited To Wedding

ROME, April 7.—(By the Associated Press)—Seven hundred persons have received invitations to the wedding of Princess Yolanda, daughter of the King of Italy, to Count Carol Calvi di Bergolo, next Monday morning.

The invitations have been limited only to the civil and military households of the King and Queen, the Queen mother and the royal princess in addition to the four categories in the precedence list of state officials.

Presents are arriving from many parts of Italy as well as from abroad, but the official list has not yet been published. The Princess writes an autographed letter of thanks to all who remember her.

Count Calvi has given his bride-to-be, a superb rectangular sapphire ring set in plantinum. The gifts of the Queen mother are a pearl necklace and a grand piano. The court ladies have presented a table service of solid silver.

Princess Yolanda and Count Calvi went to confession today preparatory to taking communion tomorrow, when the count will also receive the sacrament of confirmation.

Seek Men With Faces Scratched

NEW YORK, April 7.—(By the Associated Press)—Men with scratched faces were being sought today by police as the murderers of the two young women found hacked to death on an unfrequented road near the Staten Island shore yesterday.

Scratches as a particular identification were mentioned by the police who found evidence of a frantic struggle for life by the two women. Mrs. Irene Blandino, of Jersey City, and Mrs. Bessie McMahon, of Utica, N. Y. The police believe the victims dug their fingers deep into the flesh of their assailants in their struggle for life.

The theory that the black hand may be involved in the murders was advanced after police learned that Mrs. Blandino's first husband, Frank Bongirani, had been killed by a man who had lived with the woman before she met Bongirani. That killing, the police think, was actuated by revenge.

Although he lived ten days after he was stabbed, Bongirani refused to reveal the name of his assailant and after he died Mrs. Blandino refused to tell because she was afraid of "that gang". "That gang," the police are convinced, was a black hand organization.

While pursuing this theory the Jersey City police were holding Blandino and Rosario di Lorenzo, an employe in the former's barber shop, who had not satisfied the police with accounts of their movements the night of the murder. Both were held as material witnesses.

Ammunition Explodes

OTTAWA, April 7.—(By the Associated Press)—Heralded by the explosion of 100,000 rounds of small arms ammunition stored in the basement of the Hard Sporting Company's store, fire early today destroyed the building, spread to the Butterworth block and damaged the Sparks Chambers, causing a total loss of more than $300,000. Fifty wholesale and retail business establishments in the damaged buildings suffered loss. Two firemen were injured and a number had narrow escapes when the roof of the Butterworth block collapsed.

Kimmell New Bank President

CLEVELAND—Daniel D. Kimmell was chosen as president of the Midland Bank.

Harvey To Become Reporter

LONDON—Ambassador Harvey will become reporter again to get the facts in England's farm strike, London despatches say.

Ebert's Daughter and Fiance

First picture received in America of Miss Amelia Ebert, daughter of Germany's president, and Dr. Wilhelm Janecke, her fiance. She is 22, he is 26. His father was the ex-kaiser's shoemaker.

Wierd Photograph, Claimed To Show The Spirit Dead, Shown By Doyle

NEW YORK, April 7.—(By the Associated Press)—A wierd photograph, described by Sir Arthur Conan Doyle, as that of spirit war dead—myriads of grim faces hovering above the cenotaph of the unknown soldier in London during the two minutes of silence for prayer—drew gasps of astonishment from a large audience in Carnegie Hall last night when he gave a lecture on spiritualism. Some women sobbed and even scoffers were thrilled.

"Do you see the dead creeping through?" Sir Arthur asked, pointing to spectral faces on the screen. "You can see them everywhere." There were two photographs, described as taken by Mrs. Dean, an English medium. First a snap showed the great crowd standing bare-headed before the cenotaph—a faint luminous patch appeared over the throng. The second picture showed countless heads of sad visaged soldiers floating above the memorial. The spectators were blotted out. Some faces were blurred, but others were distinct. The general impression of the audience was that the faces were those of men who had been killed in battle.

"I don't wonder that you are moved," Sir Arthur said when the sobbing and buzz of hysterical whispered comment interrupted his remarks. "I consider it the greatest spirit picture in the world."

He declared the plates had been developed immediately and there was no chance for fraud.

"Baby Mine"

Says British View Changes

PARIS, April 7.—(By the Associated Press)—Louis Loucheur, returning from London last evening, disclaiming the views on the reparations question attributed to him in the press, told the foreign editor of Le Matin he had brought back a conviction that British opinion had changed and that the great majority of the public sentiment in England was clearly favorable to France.

This attitude, he said, was also evident in the political world, except that there was mingled with it an uneasiness as to the possible consequences of the French Ruhr policy.

"I did not find an English politician no matter what his party nor what views he entertained originally on the opportuneness of the Ruhr operation," M. Loucheur is quoted as saying, "who did not approve unreservedly when I declared that we will carry through this undertaking to the bitter end. Nobody, not even Mr. Lloyd George, had anything to say against that declaration."

Le Petit Parisien says an entente agreement may be reached as a result of M. Loucheur's visit.

Second Verdict Of Acquittal Returned

MARION, ILLS., April 7.—(By the Associated Press)—All of the untried criminal indictments growing out of the Herrin riots were nolled following the acquittal by a jury last night of six defendants charged with murder in connection with the outbreak.

CHICAGO, April 7.—(By the Associated Press)—Justice cannot be obtained in Williamson county in the opinion of Attorney General Edward J. Brundage, who returned today from Marion, where a second verdict of acquittal was given by a jury in the Herrin mine murder trial. It was as a result of the not guilty verdict last night that all the remaining cases against the alleged rioters were nolle prossed today by the states attorney of Williamson county, he said.

MARION, ILLS., April 7.—(By the Associated Press)—After deliberating less than seven hours, a jury for the second time this year walked into the court room here late last night with verdicts of not guilty for defendants charged with murder in connection with the Herrin riots of last June.

The verdicts freed six defendants, Hugh Willis, state executive board member of the Illinois miners; Phillip Fontanetta, Oscar Howard, James Brown, Negro; Bert Grace and Otis Clark. Grace and Clark were acquitted in the first Herrin riot trial. The six were charged with the murder, or conspiracy to murder, of Antonio Malvaitch, of Erie, Penn., a veteran of the World War.

Only, one ballot for each of the defendants was taken, J. C. Coughlin, foreman of the jury said.

Presentation of evidence in the trial began March 2.

Most of the thirty-two witnesses for the state connected some one or another of the defendants with the mob that attacked the Southern Illinois Coal Company mine and the slayings of certain of the twenty-two men, nonunion workers who were killed.

The defense built its case on alibi testimony, calling 95 witnesses who placed the defendants in localities distant from the scene of the riot or pointed out which the defendants could not have committed the acts attributed to them.

The state did not ask for the death penalty, although the attorneys in argument, asserted the slayers merited hanging. No argument was presented by the defense when the state concluded its resume of the case.

All six defendants in the second Herrin riot trial are found not guilty after jury deliberates nearly seven hours at Marion, Illinois.

Cream Firms Combine

CLEVELAND, O., April 7.—(By the Associated Press)—The consolidation of the Baker Ice Cream Company, of Cleveland, and the Evans Ice Cream Company of Youngstown, two of the oldest in the state, was announced today. The new company will be known as the Baker-Evans Ice Cream Company, and will have a capitalization of $500,000.

The Baker Company was organized in 1903 and the Evans in 1908.

Pupils Ban Smoking

HAZLETON, PENN., April 7.—(By the Associated Press)—Pupils of the Eighth Grade at the West Hazleton public school, have sent a communication signed by the "health committee" demanding that the school board which meets in the Eighth Grade room at the school, abstain from smoking at meetings. Unless the board stops smoking the letter says there will be a general strike of students.

Delay Flight

AKRON, O., April 7.—(By the Associated Press)—Army officers in charge of the new dirigible TC-1 postponed the flight to Scott Field, Belleville, Illinois, scheduled for today because of predictions of bad weather. The big airship was given a final test yesterday in preparation for the flight.

Dance 36 Hours

NEW YORK, April 7.—(By the Associated Press)—A new world's record for continuous dancing was claimed today by Miss Ruth Holleck and Jack Butler who tripped the waxed floors of a Broadway Jazz palace for 36 hours and 15 minutes. The old record was twenty-seven hours recently set by Miss Alma Cummings, of Texas, with several partners.

Miss Holleck and Butler, who began to fox-trot at 9:47 o'clock Thursday night, finished in a waltz at ten o'clock this morning.

The orchestra succumbed to sleep during the early morning hours but the phonographs took up the burden.

Miss Holleck lost eight pounds and wore out two pairs of shoes and stockings, while Butler was ten pounds lighter and minus a pair of thicked sole shoes and socks.

Miss Holleck apparently had more reserve energy at the finish than her partner, a World War veteran, for she sank into an easy chair and chatted gaily with the hundred or more sleepy-eyed spectators who stayed for the finish. Butler retired for sleep. Physicians said both were in good physical condition.

Burns Joins Man Hunt

ATHENS, GA., April 7.—(By the Associated Press)—Federal investigation of the circumstance surrounding the escape of Gerald Chapman, convicted mail bandit, from the hospital here where he was recovering from bullet wounds, began here today.

Agents of the United States Department of Justice, under personal direction of William J. Burns, department head, arrived here early today and immediately went into conference with hospital authorities and federal prison guards.

Mr. Burns announced last night in Atlanta that he would take a hand in the affair and institute a thorough investigation of the double escape made by Chapman.

The convict escaped from the Federal prison at Atlanta more than a week ago. He was captured near here a few days later after a constable shot him three times. From the hospital where he was taken to be treated he gained his freedom for the second time by means of two sheets knotted together and eluded an immediate search.

Yesterday, while the country was being combed for some trace of Chapman, he was discovered by a nurse in a basement room at the hospital, reclining in a roller chair. Harry Bishop, a federal prison guard on duty at the hospital where another federal prisoner was confined, was summoned. Upon discovery that the man was Chapman, the nurse fainted. Bishop ordered Chapman to his room. He made his third escape instead. All day every available effort to find the escaped convict, failed.

Sues For $100,000 Damages

CLEVELAND—A suit for $100,000 damages filed against Shaker Heights village by Mrs. Piroska Radovitz, mother of Louis Radovitz, who was shot and killed last summer when the automobile in which he was riding was commandeered by policemen to pursue another automobile.

Relay Amateurs Make Plans

COLUMBUS—Relaying of United States Army and Navy messages probably will be done soon by American radio relay amateurs, it was announced at a radio convention here.

Stock Dealer Arrested

CINCINNATI — Norman Pearson, manager of the L. M. Umstead Company, dealers in stocks and bonds, arrested on charges of violating blue sky laws.

To Combat Spiritualism

WASHINGTON—Seventh Day Adventists at Washington, D. C., decide on world wide campaign against spiritualism.

To Eliminate $2 Bill

WASHINGTON—Two dollar bill is doomed if Secretary Mellon approves plans for sweeping revision of paper money designs, Washington advices say.

To Charge 5 1-2 Per Cent Interest

WASHINGTON—Federal Farm Loan Board indicates five and one half per cent interest will be charged on loans made by new intermediate credit banks.

No Comment On Coolidge's Statement

AUGUSTA, GA. — Presidential party at Augusta, Ga., reads without comment Mr. Coolidge's declaration that Mr. Harding will be re-elected.

Reel and Real

Raymond McKee and Marguerite Courtot were hero and heroine in "Down to the Sea in Ships." This photo was taken in New York just after they assumed those roles to each other for life.

CLOTHING STRIKE IN PARIS

PARIS, April 7.—(By the Associated Press)—The strike of men's tailors and the millinery workers threatens to leave Parisians without their spring finery. The strike began about two weeks ago among the piece workers and now has spread to the garment employes, including the girls and women who work in the fashionable shops in the Place de L'Opera.

The workers are asking a wage increase of from ten to twenty percent. The employers contend that the strikers are taking advantage of the spring season to enforce their demands.

Lives Of Many Endangered

CLEVELAND—Lives of nearly 100 children and 125 employes endangered when fire followed by series of explosions swept through building of the Sear Plating Company and the Economy Mixture and Manufacturing Company.

Attempts To Kill Self

WAUSEON—Benjamin Wright, 20, Lyons, who attempted to end his life by shooting himself through the brain, stands a chance of recovering, according to physicians' report.

Billy Butt-In
THE TIMES WEATHER MAN

This fine brand of weather was rooted out for the special benefit of the typos from the various parts of the state who will also get a taste of real Southern Ohio welcome. Here's for tomorrow:

OHIO—Increasing cloudiness followed by showers and thunderstorms tonight with warmer in east and central portions. Sunday cloudy and colder with strong shifting winds.

KENTUCKY—Showers and thunder storms late tonight or Sunday. Warmer tonight. Colder Sunday.

WASHINGTON, April 7.—Weather outlook for the week beginning Monday:

Ohio Valley and Region of Great Lakes—Generally fair except that rains are probable Thursday or Friday. Much colder at beginning. Normal temperature thereafter.

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Stockholders Of Hurth Hotel Company Organize; A. I. Hurth Is President

The stockholders of the Hurth Hotel Company held their first meeting last night at the Royal Savings and Loan Building and effected an organization by naming directors and electing officers. The directors are A. I. Hurth, Mrs. Lottie K. Hurth, Dr. H. H. Stallard, Albert Zoellner, William C. Habelbeck, Thomas D. Smith and P. V. Davidson.

The following officers were elected by the directors: A. I. Hurth, President and General Manager; Dr. H. H. Stallard, Vice President; William C. Hazelbeck, Secretary, and Albert Zoellner, Treasurer.

The board authorized Architect C. C. Taylor to prepare plans and specifications to be submitted as soon as possible. Several weeks will be required to complete the plans, but it is understood that the construction of a modern fireproof hotel of 90 rooms on the southeast corner of Third and Chillicothe streets will begin just as soon as these are finished and the contracts are awarded.

Mr. Hurth stated last night that the hotel will be up to date in every respect and will be equipped with all modern conveniences. Each room will have hot and cold running water and bath. The hostelry will be known as the Hotel Hurth.

Local Bailiff Bill Approved By Senate

The bill introduced by Representative Adam Frick providing for the appointment of the bailiff in the local Municipal court by the Judge of the Court and subject to his dismissal, was approved in the Senate last night. Having previously passed the Lower House of the General Assembly, the measure now goes to the governor for his signature when it will become a law. Under the bill the bailiff would receive a salary of not less than $1,600 annually and would be required to furnish bond of $2,000.

Under the present arrangement the bailiff is appointed through the police department.

Defalcations Near Million

CINCINNATI, O. April 7—An indictment alleging the misappropriation of funds totalling nearly $1,000,000, was returned here late today by the Federal Grand Jury against A. H. Penfield, former cashier of the Springfield National Bank of Springfield, O.

The indictment returned against Penfield who is in the Dayton, Ohio, jail contains twelve counts. Ten of these allege the embezzlement of funds and two misapplication of funds. The exact amount embezzled according to the indictment is $977,233.48.

The defalcations of Penfield according to the indictment totalled the above figure on March 6, 1923, when he attempted to committ suicide in his father-in-law's garage by slashing his wrists.

Two days preceding his attempt to kill himself he is alleged to have embezzled liberty bonds totalling $130,000.

Harding Opposed To Blocs

AUGUSTA, GA., April 7—Declaring he did not believe there was "a vestige of the sectionalism of the civil war left in the United States, President Harding in an address delivered at a dinner given in his honor tonight by the City of Augusta deplored any developments of classes and organization of blocs in the republic.

"There is a menace to the nation" said the president, "in the development of classes and in the organization of blocs. There is danger in envy and jealousy. Let us be on guard against development of envy and jealousy.

Is Honor Guest.

Citizens of Augusta gave a dinner tonight in honor of President Harding, the fourth chief executive of the republic to visit the city in its history which dates back before the foundation of the republic. The others were George Washington, William McKinley and William Howard Taft.

Leaders in the life of Augusta and of this section of Georgia jointed in honoring Mr. Harding at the dinner at which other members of the presidential party were guests. About 200 persons attended. The president and others spoke briefly.

The dinner was given somewhat as a farewell to the president and his party who will leave tomorrow evening for Washington after having spent a week here.

Coolidge Statement Read.

Members of the presidential party read with interest, but without comment the prediction made in Washington today by Vice-president Coolidge that Mr. Harding would be renominated and re-elected. Another statement published locally that aroused considerable interest among members of the party was the assertion by former Senator Hitchcock of Nebraska, that the League of Nations will never be an issue again in a presidential campaign, but that the United States would eventually become affiliated with the League. This affiliation, Senator Hitchcock was quoted as saying, would be in an easy and natural manner and not as the result of a bitter political fight.

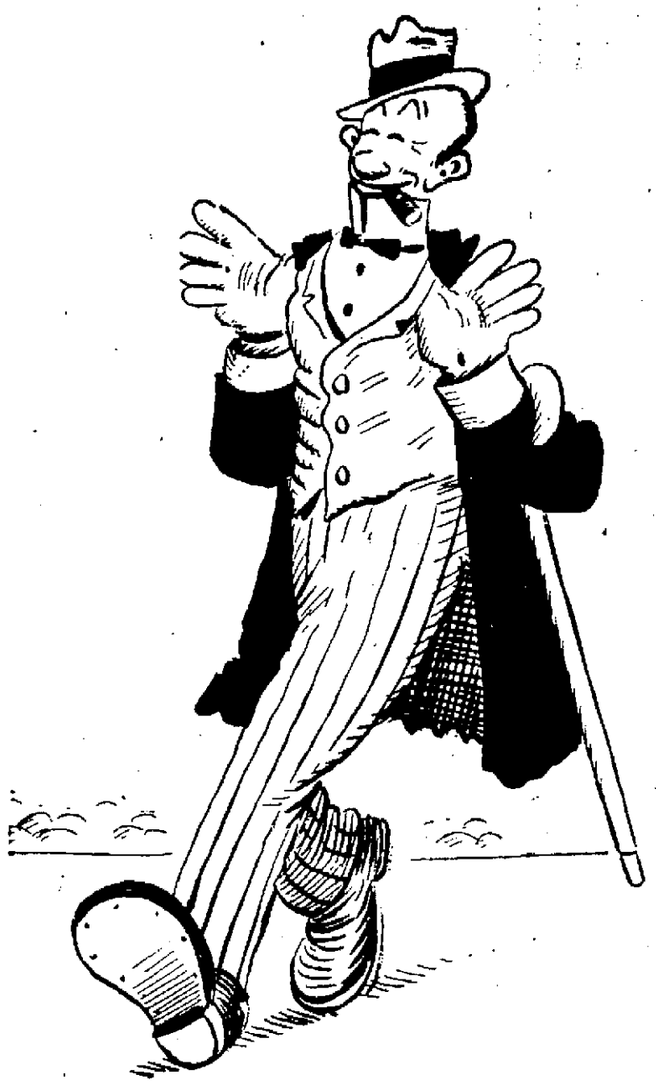
Col. Barger Tells About Recent Trip

WAVERLY, O., April 7—Col. and Mrs. John W. Barger have returned to their home here after an absence of four months aboard the S. S. Laconia, cruising around the world. Col. Barger is very enthusiastic over the trip and relates many interesting happenings. Following is a brief sketch of their visit to Monaco:

"Among a thousand memories of our cruise around the world, I think our brief visit to Monaco stands apart from all the rest. The Mediterranean has not been called the playground of the world without reason, and at Monaco we found every conceivable preparation for realizing this promise. We entered the harbor early on a Sunday morning but everything was wide open nevertheless.

"So many pictures of this picturesque little principality have been published the world over that its general appearance is of course familiar. It has a suggestion of a town of the middle ages with its great walls and embankments. Atop these stand the elaborate modern palaces of hotels and casinos. Every foot of the territory besides has been parked and beautified. The lawns and gardens are among the most beautiful in the world. Everything is kept up with elaborate care and turn which way you will, the scenes are elaborately ornate. The light colored stones of the buildings are especially brilliant in the bright sunlight.

"I think I have neglected to speak of our floating bank which has been in continuous operation around the world. One of its principal functions is to supply us with native money of the various countries visited. Never before has a trip around the world met with such variations in the exchange. Our dollar rose and fell in value from port to port, although it has been everywhere of course at a premium. Our bank was supplied in advance with a bewildering variety of currency of various countries and denominations.



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Joe Quince Inherits Fortune

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KEN KLING, an artist, who knows how to put the funny side forward is sponsoring Joe Quince. The first picture appears in the

Times on Monday, April 9

More Than One Hundred Million Dollars Filched From Public By Oil Stock Promoters

WASHINGTON, April 7—Oil stock promoters operating in the State of Texas during the last five years have filched more than $100,000,000 from the public, Postmaster General New was advised today by John H. Edwards, solicitor of the Postoffice Department, and Chief Postal Inspector Simmons who are in Fort Worth co-operating with the Department of Justice in the prosecution of mail fraud cases involving oil promoters.

In making public the report the Postmaster General also declared the Postoffice Department intended "to move in the most vigorous and persistent manner possible for the enforcement of both the criminal law and the fraud order statutes against the fraudulent use of the mails not only in the sale of fraudulent oil stock, but all other cases involving fraud in the mails."

Many Are Disillusioned.

Mr. New said the government had been appealed to "by disillusioned stockholders to stop the oil stock frauds" after "wildcat promoters" had escaped prosecution by state authorities. Postoffice Inspectors, he added, have been working since last summer on more than 200 cases, many of which have already gone to the grand jury now in session at Fort Worth.

The report to Mr. New follows in part:

"More than $100,000,000 is the estimate placed by Postoffice inspectors upon the amount of money filched from the public during the past five years by oil stock promoters operating in the state of Texas. This statement challenged the attention of the country and demands speedy and certain action. Postoffice inspectors also report that companies and syndicates have been organized, run their course, and passed away by hundreds during these five years, leaving approximately half a million stockholders scattered throughout the United States to mourn the fading of roseate dreams of wealth with the final disappearance of their hard earned dollars.

Stock Selling "Game"

"No doubt some of these companies were started by men who hoped to strike oil and make money from production, but in practically every case the promoters laid their plans to profit from the stock selling regardless of the result of field operations. Seldom was it that a promoter invested any money of his own.

"Almost all the promoters concerns operate as common law trusts. Over such organizations the Texas statutes provide no supervision whatever. The promoters appoint themselves trustees with sole and unlimited power to procure and handle the money of their investors as they please without question from any state authority.

Cases Hard To Handle.

"To impose the penalty for using the mails to defraud, the Postoffice Department and the agents of the Department of Justice must show sufficient evidence of intent to defraud. The Department representatives report that the cases, especially those involving large stock selling schemes, are the most complex and difficult to hand of all criminal cases arising in the federal jurisdiction. For this reason they require months and sometimes years of patient and perserving investigation."

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Conspiracy Bill Perishes In Committee

COLUMBUS, O., April 7—The conspiracy bill is dead.

Chairman Fouts of the judiciary committee of the House of Representatives to which the bill was committed after its introduction by Representative Broadstone, Republican, of Green county, as the cure for election corruption such as was uncovered in the Pike county investigation, stated today that the committee would not recommend it for passage.

It takes eight votes to report the bill out of committee and when the last attempt was made to send it to the floor of the house for passage, only six committeemen voted to send it out.

The bill previously had been defeated in the senate.

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Officials On Trial, Charge Prejudice To Perry County Jurist

NEW LEXINGTON, O., April 7—Affidavits of prejudice have been filed against Judge T. D. Price, of Perry county by Fred Sheline, constable of Hemlock, Delmar Golf, mayor of Crooksville and George L. Liddeldale, mayor of Junction City, who are now under indictment of the Perry County courts.

The affidavits allege that if Judge Price is permitted to sit on the bench during their trials it will preclude th defendants having "a fair and impartial trial."

Mayors Golf and Liddeldale were indicted for extortion and Sheline for assault with intent to kill.

Engine Blows Up; Crew Men Killed

SCRANTON, PA., April 7—With a report heard for miles, a big LeHigh Valley pusher engine blew up today seven miles south of this city, killing Samuel Martin, engineer, of Pittston, and James Boyden, fireman of West Pittston.

The engine was running light. Railroad officials had not ascertained tonight the cause of the explosion.

Surrendered "Their Quarts"

NEW YORK, April 7—When the steamship Arakmaya arrived today from Bermuda with 75 passengers, each was armed with a quart of liquor. When customs guards began collecting the bottles, the tourists murmered "for medical purposes" and produced newspaper clippings of recent date stating that Thomas W. Whittle, surveyor of the port, had ruled a quart was admissible with invalids.

The voyagers faces fell when they were informed the local customs ruling had been cancelled by Washington.

Davis To Dedicate Home

NEW MARTINSVILE, W. Va.—Secretary of Labor J. J. Davis, will be the principal speaker here on April 28 when the new Moose home is dedicated.

Child Labor May Be Used In Farm Work; School Law Amended

COLUMBUS, O., April 7—Modification of the Bing School attendance law so as to permit children between the ages of 12 and 18 years old to do agricultural work during vacations without obtaining a school certificate, was agreed to by the General Assembly today when the Senate passed the bill of Representative George W. Bloom of Sandusky county. The bill already had passed the House and now goes to the Governor, if the House concurs in amendments inserted by the Senate. While the measure answers the demand from various portions of the state that no certificates be required for agricultural work during the summer, it provides that in cases of children from 12 to 14 years of age, the period of work may not be more than seven hours a day or 42 hours a week.

Besides changing the labor feature of the law, the bill would make the transportation of high school children to schools more than four miles from their home optional with the board of education.

Charges in the present compulsory school attendance age of 6 to 18 years also were made under an amendment of Senator John S. Edwards, Republican of Licking county. The bill as passed, prescribes 6 to 16 as the compulsory age excepting in cases where the board of education may provide that it be 6 to 18 years.

Renault To Meet Tommy Gibbons

NEW YORK, April 7—Jack Renault, Canadian heavyweight champion, was signed today by Promoter Tex Rickard to meet Tom Gibbons of St. Paul at the new Yankee Stadium on either May 3 or 11. The winner will meet Jack Dempsey, world's heavyweight champion, in a title bout, he announced.

Cincinnati Broker Held On Warrant

CINCINNATI, O., April 7—Norman Pearson, manager of the L. M. Chestead Company, dealers in stock and bonds, was arrested here today at the instance of Cleveland authorities.

Two warrants, charging violation of the Blue sky law and a capias have been issued at Cleveland for Pearson, according to police. Pearson refused to talk.

Killed When Tree Falls

ELKINS, W. Va.—Isaac Thompson, 42, well-to-do farmer of near Whitmer, sawing down a tree, was caught beneath it and both legs were fractured near the hips.

Save Oil Plant

MANNINGTON, W. Va.—The South Penn Oil plant here had a narrow escape from fire when wind carried burning brush to a point near their gasoline loading plant. Heroic efforts turned the fire.

200 Arrests During March

WHEELING, W. Va.—Wheeling police made more than 200 arrests during the month of March.

Nerve Shocks Cause Gas

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THREE AMENDMENTS FOR VOTERS

COLUMBUS, O., April 7—Three constitutional amendments will be submitted to the voters at the November election by the legislature.

They are:

Eliminating the "open liability" of employers under the workmen's compensation law.

Elimination of the word "white male" from the qualifications of an elector.

Giving the Secretary of State optional authority to publish or mail to voters texts of proposed constitutional amendments and the arguments for and against them.

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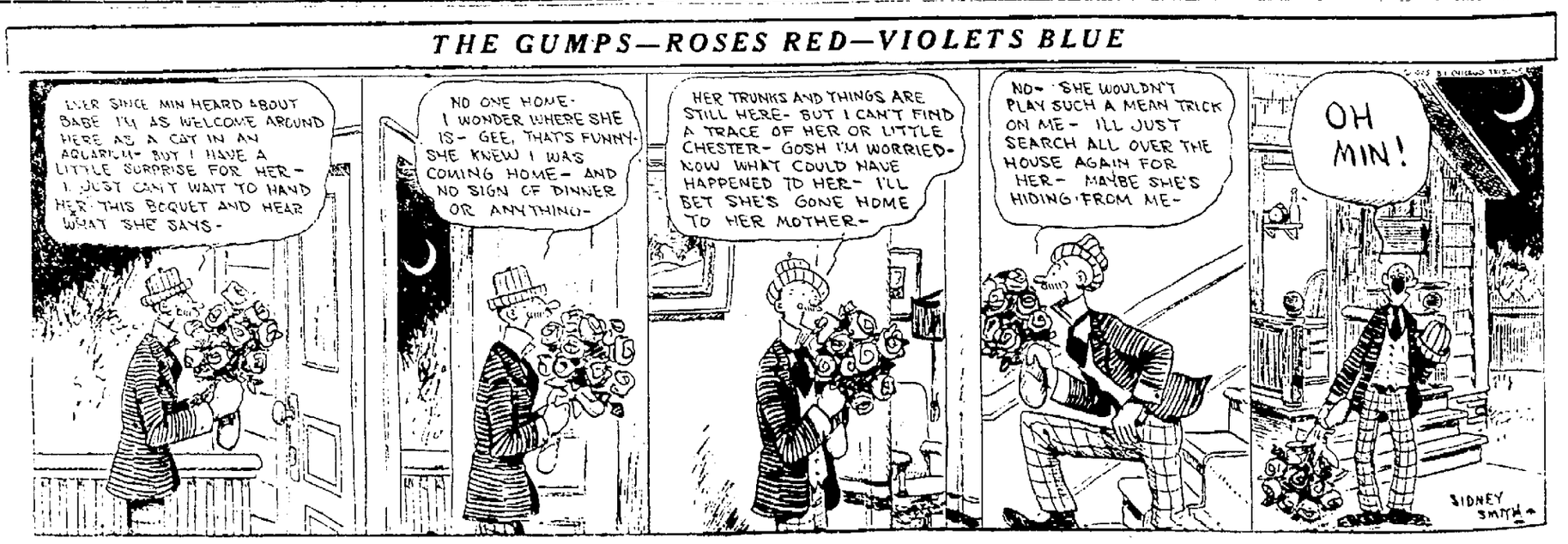

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Don't Delay — Come Tonight

Dr. Schirrman Home From Big Convention

Dr. and Mrs. Harry A. Schirrman and daughters, Gretchen and Augusta returned yesterday from Philadelphia, where Dr. Schirrman attended a meeting of the American College of Physicians, held to discuss the subject of "Internal Medicine."

The meeting opened Monday morning with lectures each day, and the hospitals of the city were thrown open to the visiting physicians, who were given an opportunity to study any branch of the subject they desired, being divided into classes of ten or fifteen for the purpose.

Physicians from every part of the United States and Canada were present for the conference, which is an annual affair.

While Dr. Schirrman was attending the medical meeting, Mrs. Schirrman and their two daughters visited places of historical interest in and about Philadelphia.

"It's a Boy At the Sun Theatre Monday

Today at 2:30 and tonight again at 8:15 the Jack Ball Stock Company presents the final performances of "Civilian Clothes." Starting Monday, right on their last and farewell week, the Sun Theatre will likely be the theatrical center of Portsmouth.

Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, the theatre goers of this city will be treated with a brand new New York hit, which only recently closed its long run on Broadway, entitled "It's A Boy". The story is an unusually brilliant blending of whimsical comedy, sentiment and drama. It is also the first play whose plot centers on the first born babe of a happy family. In the two weeks it has been announced for stock companies, 40 different stock organizations have already contracted for the showing of this phenomenal hit. New York newspapers praised it. New York theatre goers raved over it. The Jack Ball Company is the second company to play it in the midwest. The Stuart Walker Players of Cincinnati only played it last week at the Cox Theatre, meeting with the biggest success in this play of any production they have given. It will be seen but three days, Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, with a bargain matinee on Tuesday. Farewell receptions will be held after each matinee next week and Saturday night each member of the cast will make a farewell speech. Seats are now selling.

BYRON LEMON DIES

WEST UNION, Ohio, April 7—Relatives in West Union have received word of the death of Byron Lemon, son of Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Lemon, of Detroit, Mich. Byron was 12 years of age, and was the oldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Lemon. They were former residents of West Union, but later of Wilmington, Ohio. James Lemon, the grandfather, who resides in Wilmington, left Wednesday morning for Detroit to attend the funeral. Byron leaves a sister and brother, besides the parents and grandfather, to mourn his loss.

Celebrate 8-Hour Day

RICEVILLE, W. Va.—United Mine Workers of America held a big celebration here commemorating the advent of the eight-hour day.

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Hospital Drive Workers Hold Meeting; Shaping Up Plans For Whirlwind Campaign

The enthusiasm displayed at last evening's meeting of the Great Hempstead Hospital $100,000 fund campaign speaks volumes for success. Upwards of 285 Commanders, Captains and workers met at the United Brethren Church, and for more than two hours and a half worked over the master list selecting names of persons on whom they will call to solicit pledges.

The meeting was called to order, and George D. Selby assured all Captains and workers that nothing less than success could crown the efforts of so many people dedicated to so meritorious a cause.

The campaign director then outlined the method of selecting names. Master list containing the thousands of names compiled were then passed through from one to the other of the 30 teams of 11 persons each. As evidence of the workers' desire to make this campaign a huge success, more than 7,000 names were selected which, according to the campaign director, was extremely satisfactory, considering the master list will be available to all workers at campaign headquarters, where a further selection of names can be made at any time before April 12. All workers who have not selected a sufficient number of names should avail themselves of the opportunity to do so.

The next meeting for workers to select names will be Tuesday night, April 9, for the workers who were unable to attend this meeting last night and for any of those who desire to secure more names.

Following is a list of additional workers:

Charles Bierley, Mrs. Jessie Yeley, Mrs. Lillian Plymale, Mrs. J. W. Dachler, Mrs. Arthur Knowles, E. B. Cookes, Mrs. Fred Goetz, Mrs. George Edwards, Mrs. David C. Williams, Mrs. J. L. Watkins, Jr., Mrs. David Jones, Mrs. D. A. Berndt, Mrs. George Martin, Mrs. J. T. Marsh, C. W. Abbott, W. J. Baker, Lewis C. Herder, John W. Stirr, Mrs. Ralph Donaldson, Gilbert Dodds, L. F. Lemon, F. E. Hamilton, Owen Hopkins, E. G. Williams, S. D. Woods, John Berndt, A. S. Turner, Ruben Smith, Mrs. Marie Baker, Nettie B. Pray, W. D. Hosz, Frank Baker, Joseph Horchow and Frank Keifer.

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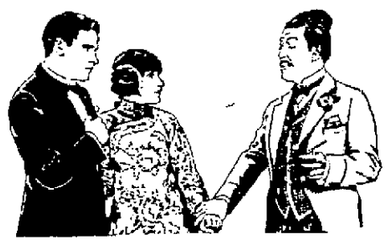

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Mound Park Pharmacy ..... Grant and Grandview
Flood & Blake ..... Gallia and Lawson
Kelso Drug Store ..... New Boston

Bryan To Address West Virginia Solons

CHARLESTON, W. Va., April 7—Tentative plans for the reception and entertainment of William Jennings Bryan, when he comes to Charleston to address the legislature on April 13, were agreed upon by a group of legislators presided over by Delegate John D. Sutton, of Braxton county.

Delegate Sutton was the author of the resolution adopted by the legislature inviting Bryan to address the lawmakers during the session. Bryan, in accepting the invitation, chose for the subject of his address, "Tampering with the Mainsprings," but said he would also discuss pending legislation.

In his main address, Bryan will discuss, among other matters, the subject of evolution. This subject is a matter of interest to many of the legislators, because of the recent controversy at the state university and the subsequent introduction in the house of delegates by Delegate Davison, of Harrison county, a bill prohibiting the teaching of the Darwinian theory of evolution in the public schools of West Virginia.

Bryan will deliver his address on the morning of April 13, according to tentative plans. The meeting is expected to be held in the Capitol theater.

Hustling Work On New Stove Plant

Work on the fine big addition which The Ohio Stove Company is erecting to its plant on Eleventh street, is progressing nicely and the company hopes to occupy the new department some time in May. The addition will soon be under roof and the work of completing the building is to be rushed with all possible speed by the contractors, The Austin Company, of Cleveland.

Buying Goods

W. W. Anderson is in New York, where he will buy goods for The Anderson Bros. company.

Mr. Coe Ill

T. J. Coe, manager of the Portsmouth Automobile club is ill at his home, 1323 Lincoln street.

Killed In Auto Plunge

WHEELING, W. Va.—George Kemp, 55, was killed when an automobile plunged over a 40-foot embankment midway between Wellsburg and Follansbee. William Liebfarth, of Wellsburg sustained painful injuries.

Was In Detroit

C. B. Ehrman is home from a business trip to Detroit in the interest of the Portsmouth Paige company.

To Sixth Street

Roy Kugelman, well known plumber has moved from Bond street to 1524 Sixth street. He recently sold his home on Bond street.

New Health Officer

GRAFTON, W. Va.—An order has been passed by the Taylor county court appointing Dr. C. W. Kidder, of Grafton, full time county health officer. A budget of $10,000 a year has been agreed upon by the court as necessary for maintenance of a full time health department.

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Twenty-four Years Ago

John W. Henderson of Waverly, N. & W. brakeman, suffered the loss of one of his legs in an accident at Sciotoville. He was coupling some cars when his foot caught in a frog and before he could extradite himself, was struck by the wheels of a car.

Mrs. May Purdy, wife of Elza Purdy, died at her home in Lucasville. Her maiden name was Frowine.

Fred Albrecht died at his home, 143 East Tenth street. He was forty years old and for several years was a section boss on the C. P. & V. Railway and was later employed at Spring Lane Distillery.

A constable from Squire Hall's court levied on a young man's overcoat on a writ for an unpaid bill for costs.

The firm of Fred Doerrs' Sons, tobacconists, on Market street, dissolved. Fred Doerr, Jr., retiring, and he removed to 259 West Front street, over the Wise Tailoring Company, where he engaged in the wholesale manufacture of cigars.

In Kentucky

R. E. Legler is on a business trip through Kentucky in the interest of the Schwartz Clothing company.

Round Table Organized

MARTINSBURG, W. Va.—The Potomac Round Table association has been reorganized under the name of the Eastern Panhandle Teacher's association. Professor W. H. S. White, president of Shepherd College State Normal school, is president. Professor Frank Hall, of Berkeley Springs, is vice president, and Bessie D. Kilmer, of Martinsburg, secretary-treasurer.

Arthur Young Is The New Secretary

At a meeting of the Peoples' Finance Company the resignation of Carey Williams as Treasurer was accepted and Arthur Young was named Secretary-Treasurer and General Manager in his place. Oscar R. McClure was appointed Assistant Manager.

The officers of the company are as follows: Arthur H. Bannon, President; Miss Charlotte Bannon, Vice President, and Arthur Young, Secretary-Treasurer and General Manager.

BIRTHS

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Gehres, 1511 Franklin Avenue, announce the birth of a fine baby boy at their home last night. The child has been named Howard David. Mr. Gehres, a son of J. J. Gehres, Sixth Street, was formerly engaged in the milling business.

To Improve Highway

PINEVILLE, W. Va.—Voters of Huff Creek magisterial district of this county have approved the issuance of $50,000 in bonds for improvement of the Tug River highway through the district. Stafford magisterial district approved a bond issue in February for the same highway and the Huff Creek district arrangements complete the last link in the highway running from Huntington to Bluefield.

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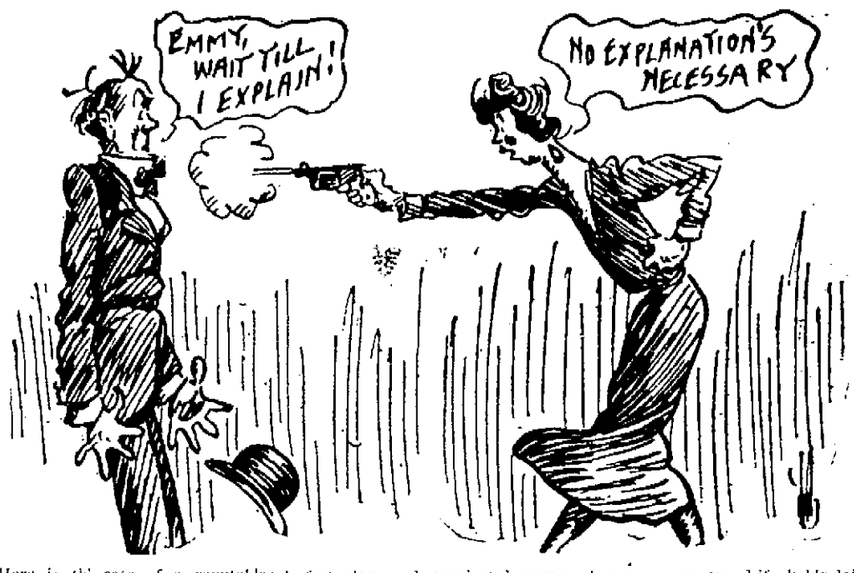
ABE MARTIN On Topics o' th' Day



"Here is th' case of a reputable husband an' citizen bein' shot down withou warnin' in his own dinin' room 'cause he wanted a straight up egg. He had lived with his murderess fer a year an' a half, givin' her ample time t' find out how he liked his eggs. Competent witnesses have told us here that his preference fer straight up eggs waz common knowledge, that no resturint in town would think o' servin' him a flopped egg," declared 'Squire Marsh Swallow, t'day in summin' up th' evidence in th' Irene Mopps case. This case has caused wide comment on account o' th' mild provocation fer such a crime. It shows how cheaply th' lives o' husbands is held by modern wives. A few years ago before women go out o' housekeepin' an' into war work an' politics an' other downtown sports a husband could keep orderin' eggs till he got what he wanted. Wives used t' wait fer explanations, an' often ther waz reconciliations, an' never nothin' worse'n estrangements an' divorces. A few clumsy, heavy-jawed women would occasionally poison ther husbands, an' go t' prison, but th' prettier, nifty-lookin' women made other arrangements. Husband murderin' has become so common that nobuddy hardly looks up any more when a newsboy hollers, "Prominent husband bites th' dust!" Lot o' fellers that had aimed t' marry are reconsiderin' it. Th' day hain't fer off when insurance companies 'll regard a lazardous occupation. Any feller knows that if he gits married ther's bound t' be little flare up an' misunderstandin's an' he don't want t' feel like he's liable t' git picked off ever' time he uses th' wrong fork, or wants th' light bills cut down, or asks his wife t' wait a month or two before she does anything about a hat. Women are moody, but we've allus been able t' see a skillet or tea cup comin' in time t' sidestep, but a pistol's different. Husbands like t' live. Take any husband an' gil him away from home an' he kin be as lively an' happy as any one. Life holds lots o' things fer husbands, unless they've been married eight or nine years. An' we don't believe any woman kin be happy fer any reasonable stretch o' time after killin' a man, 'specially a husband that wuz good t' her a month or two at least. Even after she's married agin or goes on th' stage, ther'll be times when she'll upbraid herself. Ther's so many ways t' fix eggs, so many simple but allurin' egg dishes, that it hain't surprisin' that all husbands hain't o' one mind as regards 'em. Fixin' an egg is such a simple thing, so much betterin' t' git a new tailored suit made an' wadin' thro' a long tedious trial surrounded by a lot o' curious morbid people. O' course ther's a nice way an' a brutal way t' order an egg but so many girls jump in an' marry fellers thinkin' they're goin' t' board that no matter how a husband orders an egg in his own home he's takin' long chances.

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Agricultural Notes

EDITORIAL NOTE—The Times has arranged for an agricultural department in each issue of The Saturday Times. The articles will be written by an expert and we unhesitatingly advise their careful reading. They may be of great profit to you.

Clothing Club

"Flat Woods Thimble Club" is the name of the first clothing club organized in this county. The members met at the home of their leader, Mrs. Gaylord Preston, on Saturday afternoon March 31st, and elected the following officers: Bertha Vanhoose president; Charlotte Spriggs, vice president; Ruth Stambaugh, secretary, and Gladys Hancock and Imogene Purdy as a committee on constitution and by-laws.

The other members of the club are Octava Nesvitt and Mildred Vanhoose.

It is expected that a clothing club will also be organized in the Haverhill community.

Health Conference

The next meeting of the health project leaders, with the specialist from the University will be held at the Farm Bureau office Wednesday, April 11th, at 10 o'clock.

Poultry Specialist Coming

E. L. Dakin, poultry specialist, Ohio State University, will meet with the poultry club leaders and poultry farm demonstrators on Thursday, April 12th. The time of the meeting will be announced later.

Dormant Spray

The next few days will probably offer the last opportunity for applying the dormant spray for control of scale insects. This is considered one of the most important sprays for fruit trees this year, as scale, particularly San Jose, is rapidly coming back with harmful effects.

Treatment: Thorough spraying with lime and sulphur solution: One gallon of commercial liquid lime sulphur to seven gallons of water, or 15 pounds of dry lime sulphur to 50 gallons of water. Peaches and cherries are probably too far advanced for safe application of the dormant spray but for apples it may be safely applied when the buds show green at tip, just before leaves appear, so say fruit men.

Potato Scab

Potato scab is undoubtedly the most common disease in Ohio potato fields and one that has assisted considerably reducing the yield. This disease attacks only the tubers and may occur any time after they start to form until they are through growing in the fall. The presence of the potato scab results in the following losses: Depreciation in market value, especially in seed stock; also from thick paring for various culinary purposes; reduces yield, and causes decay from various rots.

All seed potatoes affected with scab or which have in any way been in contact with scabby potatoes, should be soaked for one and one-half hours in a solution of one pint of formaldehyde to 30 gallons of water. It is also advisable to treat the crates with the same solution, to eliminate any chance of carrying disease. Caution should be taken to treat the tubers before cutting, and this can be done at any time before planting.

Hints for Backyard Farms

Plan before you plant. Gardeners at the Ohio State University, issuing April hints for backyard farming, put this suggestion first.

They cite as a model a garden of 26 rows, each 20 feet long. Spaced different distances apart, according to crop requirements, these rows take up a width of 30 feet in all.

Following is what is planted in each row, from left to right: border row parsnips; Swiss chard, parsley and chives; onion seed; onion sets; onion seed; spinach, spinach; beets; beets; turnips; carrots, and radishes. Thus the first 12 rows, all a foot apart.

Then come three rows, 15 inches apart, of peas; radishes; peas. Next six rows of cabbage and lettuce alternating, all rows a foot apart. Finally, two rows of beans 18 inches apart, and three rows of tomatoes 24 inches apart.

This planting plan permits the fullest practical measure of inter-cropping and permits the following succession of crops: radishes, after parsnips, celery after the onions, beans after beets, late cabbage after early peas and radishes, cucumbers after cabbage and lettuce, beets or cabbage after early beans, turnips after tomatoes.

Wild weather in March has held up gardens from 10 days to two weeks the state over, the college men estimate, but before the end of the month the time will come to transplant cabbage, and to plant beets, carrots, Swiss chard, Kohl-rabi, lettuce, onion seed and sets, parsnips, radishes and spinach.

"KNIFE MAN" AND "SH EET WRITERS" SWINDLE WEST VIRGINIAN

CHARLESTON, W. Va., April 7—The "knife men" have added their efforts of the "sheet writers" in fleecing the gullible in this city. Both "con" games are of an ancient variety, but still seem good money getters and the victims refuse to tell about it.

Reports of operations have reached authorities, but no victim has appeared to press charges. The "knife men" frame an argument over ability of the victim to open a knife equipped with a secret catch lock. In addition to losing his bet, his inability to open the knife loses the bet of the "come-on" man who makes him come across again, alleging the victim is the victimizer.

The "sheet writers" take subscriptions for anything and everything, but seldom do more than "take." Unless cornered they never pass on the initial payment. The "sheet writers" are said to have come from the lower part of the state. Their victims are usually strangers in the city.

Delivers Good Road Bonds

CHARLESTON, W. Va.—State Treasurer Johnson returned yesterday from New York where he signed and delivered $5,000,000 of good road bonds sold by Governor Morgan to an eastern firm of brokers. State Auditor Bond, who signed the bonds, and Secretary of State Houston Young who impressed the seal of state on them also returned.

Abandon Silk Mill Plant

CHARLESTON, W. Va. Property on the West Side, acquired by the Fauquoit Silk Manufacturing company of Philadelphia, for the purpose of erecting a silk mill, has been purchased by E. T. Jarrett, for a reported consideration of $30,000. The land will be divided into lots and sold. The plan to erect a silk mill failed to materialize.

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Sunday school at nine o'clock. How many of those present last Sunday will again come? We are sure that your presence will help you and us.

Morning worship at ten-thirty. Subject of sermon: "Love and Service."

Music For The Day
Morning

Prelude—"Festival Prelude" .... Lawrence
Anthem—"Praise Ye The Lord" ..... Stults
Soloist—Mrs. Lorey
Offertory—"Melody" ..... Heyser
Solo—"Lead On, O King Eternal" ..... Marzo
Mr. Arthur Kugelman
Postlude—"March in D" ...Ashford

Evening worship at seven. Subject of sermon: "Forgive Us Our Trespasses, As We Forgive Those Who Trespass Against Us."

Music

Prelude—"Prelude in E" .... Goltermann
Anthem—"Great Is The Lord And Marvelous" ..... Diggle
Offertory—"Song Without Words" ..... Day
Quartet—"Jesus Calls Us".....Pike
Mrs. Lorey, Miss Lindenmeyer, Mr. Lorey, Mr. Hazelbeck
Postlude ..... Stark

Junior League at one-thirty.

Senior League at six-fifteen. Topic: "The Wise and Unwise Uses of The Lord's Day." Leader—Miss Lauffer.

EPISCOPAL

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Sunday in the Octave of Easter known as Low Sunday.

No early celebration of the Holy Communion.

Church School, 9:00 a. m. Mite Boxes not returned on Easter Day should be returned without fail tomorrow, please!

Choral Celebration of the Holy Eucharist—no sermon—10:30 a. m. If you have not already made your Easter Communion do so at this service.

Confirmation Class for Junior Candidates, 2:00 p. m.

Evensong and Sermon, 7:00 p. m. Subject: "The Testimony of Experience." The great Feast of Easter is still being observed. This is Sunday in the Octave. Let us have an attendance worthy of the day. It is not too late to make your Easter Offering if you have not already done so.

Music for the Day
Morning

Prelude—Finale to the Third Symphony—Mendelssohn.
Choral Eucharist—Simper.
Offertorium—Melody — Beethoven.
Solo—"Harken Unto Me"—Stevenson. Mrs. James D. Williams.
Postlude—Parker.

Evening

Prelude—Lemaigre.
Offertorium—"Meditation" — Heller.
Solo—"A Cottage in God's Garden"—Carrie Jacobs Bond. Mrs. James D. Williams.
Postlude—"March"—Wachs.

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Chas. E. Severinghaus, Pastor

Sunday School at 9 a. m. Mr. Frank E. Kiefer, Superintendent. Miss Rose Wendeiken, Supt. Primary Department. Judge Harry Ball, Teacher of Every Man's Bible Class. Classes for all ages.

Morning worship begins at 10:30 o'clock. The theme for the morning service will be "The Church and Its Ordinances." Baptismal service by sprinkling and immersion, infants and adults, followed by the reception of members, both into preparatory and into full membership of the church.

The evening service, note the change of time for the summer, will begin at 7:30 o'clock. Sermon by the pastor on "Get Right With God."

Music

Mrs. W. E. Stalker, Organist.

A. M.

Prelude—War March of the Priests (from Athalia) by Mendlssohn.
Meditation—Sacred Melodies with Chimes.
Anthem—"God Is Love"—by Barnby.
Postlude—Grand Chorus—by Roland Biggie.

P. M.

Prelude—Capriccio by Edwin Lemaigre.
Meditation—Sacred Melodies and Chimes.
Anthem—"Protect Us Through the Coming Night"—by Cershman Snelling.
Postlude—March Pontificale—by Becker.

Junior League Sunday afternoon at 2:00.

Epworth and Intermediate Leagues at 6:45.

Monthly meeting of Epworth League Tuesday evening at 7:30 in the basement of the church.

Prayer meeting Wednesday evening 7:15.

Meeting of W. H. M. S. Thursday afternoon at 2:15.

On Friday evening at 7:30 the King's Heralds and Home Guards will give an entertainment in the basement of the church to which all are cordially invited. There will be no admission, but a silver offering will be taken.

TRINITY METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH

The Sunday school will meet at 9:00 a. m. and will have the inspiring topic, "Abraham, the Pioneer of Faith." Those boys and girls who have not signed cards for the preparatory membership class can do so in the Sunday school hour and get into the study at once. Those twelve years old and above will come to the study for their group meeting and those younger than twelve years will meet at the Junior League hour, 10:30 a. m. in the basement.

At the morning worship, 10:30 o'clock, the pastor will preach upon "The Garden of the Court."

At the same hour the Junior League will meet in the basement and those who are preparatory members will be put in classes for this special study; all others will have the regular work of the Juniors.

At 6:15 p. m. the Epworth League will meet in the devotional service and use the topic, "The Christian Motive in Recreation." I Cor. 9:24-25; I Tim. 2:4. Mr. Latrell Hoover will lead the meeting.

At the evening worship, 7:00 o'clock, the pastor will preach upon "Hyacinths and Biscuits."

Mrs. J. M. Stockham assumes the work of organist and directress at the services of today.

The special numbers will be:

—A. M.—

Prelude—"Spring Song," Mendelssohn.
Anthem—"Christ, My Life, My Light," Meyer.
Offertory—"To Spring," Greig-Lemare.
Solo—"Closer Still With Thee," Rolfe; Mrs. Enola McCurdy Searl.
Postlude—March, Scotson Clark.

—P. M.—

Prelude — "Chorus of Angels," Clark.
Anthem—"Hosanna," Granier.
Anthem — "Hosanna," Granier; chorus and solo, Miss Bessie Mick.
Offertory—"Memories," Demarest.
Solo — "O Risen Lord," Lansing; Mrs. O. J. Dietzler; violin obligato, Miss Alice Blake.
Postlude — "Marche Pontificale," Lemmens.

The public is heartily invited to worship with this congregation.

TERMINALS M. E. CHURCH
Poplar Street, East Portsmouth
R. S. Balsiger, Pastor

Sunday school at 9:15. Miss Maymie Warner, superintendent. The Junior Choir will again occupy the platform and sing for us.

Sunday school sermon by the pastor. Lesson hour in charge of the superintendent and teachers. Let us have a full attendance.

Junior League at 1:00 o'clock. Miss Hazel Massie, superintendent. All the boys and girls are invited. The pastor will have an interesting matter to talk over.

Revival service at 7:00 o'clock. This will be "Community Night". The pastor will probably preach on "What Is Wrong With the Community?" The choir will sing a special number and Miss Hannah Reider will favor us with one of her solos. Everybody invited.

MANLY M. E. CHURCH
Corner Eleventh and Clay
C. W. Brady, Pastor

Sunday school at 9:00 a. m.

Next Sunday we shall start on a new series of twelve lessons, relative to the lives of Old Testament heroes. Each week we shall learn the character and personality of some outstanding man or woman whom God used for the blessing and progress of mankind.

Start in Sunday for the entire course.

Sermon at 10:15 a. m. Subject: "Some Christian Duties."

Clyde Knost will be the popular soloist at this service.

Evening service at 7:00 o'clock. Subject: "The Proposed Hempstead Hospital drive will be discussed by the pastor."

Epworth League will meet at 6:00 o'clock. These meetings are always worth while. Young folks are invited. Walter Mitchell is the leader.

OTWAY M. E. CHURCH
C. T. Grant, Pastor.

Sunday School 9:00 a. m. J. Gillet, Supt.

Preaching service 7:15 p. m.

Subject: "Excuses."

A Blessing Recipe

1 hour of time.
4 or 5 "Jubilate" songs.
1 or 2 prayers.
1 Real hearst to goodness Bible Study.

All mixed and seasoned together with Christian fellowship and love and served on Wednesday evenings at 7:15 p. m.

Try it next Wednesday night.

We invite you to come to church. Why wait until the hearse brings you. You are welcome.

METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH SOUTH
(South Portsmouth, Ky.)
O. P. Smith, Pastor
J. C. Stephenson, Supt.

Sunday school at 9:30. Let us keep up our record of last Sunday, if we cannot go higher.

Junior League, 6:15. Leader Mrs. Pennington.

Evening worship 7 o'clock. Subject: "The Essentials of Christianity."

Monday night, 7:15 sermon by Rev. P. F. Thornburg, of Hunting-ton, W. Va., who will assist the pastor in our revival meetings.

ALLEN CHAPEL
Twelfth and Waller Streets
Norman W. Brown, Pastor.

Sunday School — 9:00 a. m. John H. Jackson, superintendent.

If you do not attend Sunday school elsewhere, join with us on this service. A hearty welcome awaits all.

Morning preaching service at 10:45.

Evening worship 7:30.

Rev. Joseph Gum, presiding elder of Huntington, will be in charge at both morning and evening services.

A. C. E. League at 6 p. m.

LUCASVILLE M. E. CHURCH
Geo. H. Weaver, Pastor.

8:45 Sunday School. Carl Appel, superintendent.

Installation of officers at this service.

9:45 Public worship. Sermon by the pastor, "The Immediate after effects of the Resurrection."

7 p. m. Sermon picture on Christian Stewardship. All are invited. The congregation is especially urged to be present.

VALLEY CHAPEL
Geo. H. Weaver, Pastor.

10 a. m. Sunday School, Howard Rapp, superintendent.

11 a. m. Public worship. Sermon by the pastor, "Jesus Reveals Himself."

Wednesday evening, 7 o'clock, praise service, followed at 7:30 by the Study Classes.

Thursday afternoon the regular monthly meeting of the Ladies' Aid Society.

Don't forget the regular bake sale at Portsmouth every Saturday. The ladies reported last Sunday that they had over $100.00 toward the new church in the few sales that have been held.

NEW BOSTON METHODIST
L. C. Watts, Pastor

Sunday school, 9 a. m. Children's sermon at 10:15. Subject, "God."

Worship hour, 10:25. Sermon subject, "With And Without."

Evening worship, 7:15. Sermon subject, "A Hired Man."

Special duet by the Grandison Sisters.

FINDLAY STREET M. E.
J. E. Wood, Minister

11 a. m. Preaching by the pastor.

12:15 Sunday school. J. E. Payden, Supt.

7:00 p. m. Epworth League. William Bedford, president.

8:15 p. m. Preaching by the pastor.

This is the last Sunday before Conference and the pastor will report work of the year.

Every member and friend holding a card must report. The Stewards hope to raise deficiency and pay pastor in full.

We invite all to worship with us for one service at least. Sunday.

Monday, all the ministers and their congregations are invited to a closing service at Findlay street. Refreshments will be served at the close.

Wednesday, prayer and class service.

Friday, choir practice.

BIGELOW M. E. CHURCH
Rev. C. E. Chandler, Pastor

Sunday school 9:00 a. m.

Our Bible school takes up the lives of great men of the Old Testament. Our superintendent, Mr. Orla Rickey and his corps of officers and teachers desire to welcome and make profitable the study of the word.

Morning worship 10:30 a. m.
Sermon: Hearsay and Experience.
Evening worship 7 p. m.
Sermon: On Trial.

All Bigelow Night, to the delight of all, will be resumed next Wednesday. The church family will meet at 6:00 p. m. for dinner, 6:45 for fellowship in praise.

After a social hour, a special treat is in store for the general public. At 8 p. m. an organ recital will be given by Prof. Elmer Ende, who, because of his deep interest in the musical development of Portsmouth, freely donates his services. All are welcome.

A. M.

Anthem—Praise Ye the Father—Gounod
Solo—Glory to Thee, My God—Gounod.
Prelude—Cafilene Faulkes.
Offertory—Alpine Pastoral—Flagler
Postlude—Gothic March—Foschini

P. M.

Trio—Lift Thine Eyes—Mendelssohn (Elijah)
Duet—Art Thou Weary?—Scott
Prelude—Prayer and Cradle Song—Guilmant
Offertory—Abendlied—Schumann
Postludium in D—Markel

METHODIST EPISCOPAL
5725 Gallia Ave., Sciotoville
Preston A. Cross, Minister

9:00 a. m. Sunday school. Supt., Carl Reis. A well organized school, graded lessons, all the various departments. Adult classes for men and women—a class for you.

10:00 a. m. Morning worship. Sermon subject, "An Old Portrait of Christ."

Special music. A duet by Miss Katharine Dailey and Mary McAdams.

Reception of members.

P. M.—

6:45 Epworth League. Leader, Miss Alberta Dover.

7:30 Evening service. Sermon subject, "Religion a Load or a Lift."

Special anthem by the chorus choir.

Singing by the male quartet.

7:30 Prayer meeting every Wednesday evening. This is Sunday school night.

6:45 Junior class meet. Second lesson in the Manual.

7:30 Cottage prayer meeting every Friday.

7:00 p. m. Scout meeting.

You are always have a hearty welcome at all Methodist services.

The church that serves.

McDERMOTT—MINFORD
J. A. Bretz, Pastor

We have passed through the winter with many afflictions, our work being been impeded much by all colds to which the people have been heir. Let us wish the church of spring get a fresh start in spiritual things and enter the fray at each place with a vision of God, a strong pull and a pull all together.

Elm Run—

Preaching 9:00 a. m.
Sunday school 10:00 a. m.

Minford—

Sunday school 9:30 a. m.
Morning worship 10:30 o'clock.

McDermott—

Sunday school 9:30 a. m.
Epworth League, 6:15 p. m.
Evening worship 7 o'clock.

UNITED BRETHREN

FIRST UNITED BRETHREN
Corner Seventh and Gay Streets
E. H. Dailey, Minister
Marion W. Prosch, S. S. Supt.

9:30 Sunday school. Follow up service of the great Easter victory. The Ruth Sisters' class taught by Miss Edna Streich, composed of 150 or more young business ladies will have charge of the school and a wonderful treat is in store for all who are fortunate enough to attend.

10:25 Quiet period. Organ Interlude—Grand Chorus in D—E. H. Sheppard.

10:30 Morning worship and Devotion. Theme: "The Ever-Present, Ever-Living Christ."

6:00 Senior and Intermediate Christian Endeavor Societies. The Seniors will meet in the Sunday school room and the Intermediate meets in the Men's class room-down stairs. A special program is being prepared for both societies and all are urged to attend. The Senior Society will have as their special guest Mr. J. D. Hudson of Jackson the first president of the Portsmouth Society. The mothers are asked to see that the Juniors remain for their service during the morning worship period.

7:00 Evangelistic service. Bring the red songbook. The Pastor's theme will be "A Message from a Man in Hell." As this is the first regular evening service in this church since the Anderson campaign a large crowd of those who were regular attendants at the garage is expected.

Music for the Day

Morning:
Morning Prelude—J. G. Cummings.
Offertoire—J. Lemont.
Anthem—"Now Is Come the Salvation of Our God."—Protheroe.
Solo—Selected—Mrs. E. H. Dailey
Processional March—R. M. Stultz.
Evening:
Evening Prelude—Ira B. Wilson.
Offertory—Eventide—Chas. Hunter
Anthem—King of Kings—E. D. Ackley.
Gospel Quartet—Selected—Mr. Miles Throckmorton, Mrs. W. T. Sowers, Mrs. P. C. Knost, Mr. Floyd Smith.
Postlude—Festival March—Roland Diggle.

NAUVOO UNITED BRETHREN
Carl M. Sweazy, Pastor
Chas. B. Doll, S. S. Supt.

We must have 250 present Sunday morning before our superintendent will sing a solo. He has promised to sing if we have that number. Some folks don't think he can sing. Others have their doubts. He thinks he can and wants to try. Get 250. Let's go.

Sunday school, 9:00 a. m. Lesson, "Abraham, The Hero of Faith." Gen. 12:1-5; Heb. 11:8-19. I—Abraham a Pattern; II—Faith Tested.

Superintendent's solo.

Morning worship, 10:30 a. m.

The Believer's Service.

Reception of new members.

Sermon, "The Pilgrim Walk." A message vital to Christian experience.

Christian Endeavor—6:30 p. m. Topic, "Wise and Unwise Uses of the Lord's Day. Isa. 58:8-14; Ps. 118:24. Leader, Lizzie Huston.

Evangelistic service, 7:30 p. m. Gospel singing. Important interesting announcements. Special music. Sermon, "Give God a Chance."

Wednesday evening, 7:00 p. m. Prayer, praise, fellowship. This service is the spiritual thermometer of the church. Rise mercury.

LONG RUN U. B. CHURCH
Fred A. Sheets, Pastor

Sunday school 9:30 a. m.

Morning sermon 10:45.

Subject: "Memories of a Great Pastorate."

C. E. meeting 6:45.

Sermon 7:45 p. m. Subject: Why I am a U. B. Preacher.

Long Run is interested in the Hempstead hospital drive. One of our young ladies is now receiving treatment there. You can now call the pastor by phone, Boston 1202-Y.

NORTH MORELAND UNITED BRETHREN
Valley Street
Victor Grimm, Superintendent Sunday School
Ray Brown, Asst. Supt.

9:00 Sunday school. We are expecting a large attendance.

10:00 Preaching by Mr. J. D. Hudson of Jackson, Ohio.

2:30 Preaching. Rev. C. M. Sweazy and Rev. E. H. Dailey will be present at this service and a conference is called for the entire membership of the church at the close of the preaching service.

6:00 Christian Endeavor.

7:00 Evening preaching. Rev. Bromner, pastor of Beer Creek church will preach and the Portsmouth Gospel Quartette will sing several selections at this service. A large crowd should turn out to this service.

PRESBYTERIAN

SECOND PRESBYTERIAN
Eighth and Waller
Hugh Ivan Evans, Minister

Morning theme: "The Heritage of Godly Men."

Evening theme: "The Foundations of Religion."

Program for the Day

9:00 Sunday school.
10:30 Morning worship.
6:15 Young People's Societies.
7:15 Evening worship.

Anthems and Solos
Elmer Ende, Organist-Choirmaster

Morning:
Anthem—Sweet is Thy Mercy—Barnby.
Quartette—The Resurrection Morn—Wormen. Mr. Harry Denton, Mr. H. W. C. Mehling, Mr. T. C. Lloyd, Mr. Mendel Jones.
Evening
Quartette—Speed Thee, Christian Women. Mr. Harry Denton, Mr. H. W. C. Mending, Mr. T. C. Lloyd, Mr. Mendel Jones.

Organ Numbers

Morning:
Prelude—In Memoriam—Rheinberger
Offertoire—The Shepherd's Song—Guilmant
Postlude—Morning Hymn—Lange
Evening:
Prelude—Gothic March—Foschini
Offertoire—Ave Maris Stella—Greig
Postlude—Sortie Solennelle—Neswiemer

This "Friendly" church always extends a hearty welcome to strangers and those having no church home in Portsmouth.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
Third and Court Streets
Wm. H. Gleiser, Minister

Sermons for the Day

"Effeminate Religion" is the sermon subject at the morning service at ten thirty. In the evening the Lord's Supper will be observed. The pastor will speak on the subject, "The Voice of Memory."

Music for the Day

Morning:—
Prelude—March—Camp
Offertory—Melody—Rockwell
Anthem—Praise the Lord, O Jerusalem—Tyler
Solo—I Come to Thee—Cara Roma Alexander McIntosh
Postlude—Postlude in G—Wagborne
Evening—
Prelude—Andantino in G. Minor—Franck
Offertory—Twilight Song—Shackley
Anthem—O, Holy Father—Marchetti
Solo—O Eyes That Are Weary—Brackett
Mrs. Mae Ly...
Postlude—Pilgrim's Ch...rus—Taunhacuser—Wagner.

Educational

Bible school 9:00 a. m. Mr. Wm. Schwartz, Supt. Maurice A. Coe, teacher of Men's Class.

Christian Endeavor 6:00 p. m.

CENTRAL PRESBYTERIAN
Corner Chillicothe and Seventh Sts.
Rev. G. Monroe Howerton, Minister

Sunday school 9:00 a. m. Willard Wilson, Supt. Competent teachers and classes for all ages.

Morning worship 10:30, the minister in charge.

Subject: Christian Profession.

Evening worship 7:00. The minister will have for his subject: Right Ways and Wrong Ways.

Musical Service

Morning Service—
Prelude—Largo from New World Symphoy—Dvorak. (By request)
Anthem—Junior Choir.
Offertorium—Guilmant
Anthem—Christ My Life, My Light—Wm. T. Myer
Postlude—Triumphal March—Morrison
Evening Service—
Prelude—At Dawning—Cadman-Eddy
Anthem—Now the Day is Over—Florence Colson
Offertorium—Guilmant.
Solo—The Publican—Van de Water.
Postlude—Fantasia—Stainer

BAPTIST

BEULAH BAPTIST
Rev. J. H. Smith, Pastor

9:30 a. m.—Sunday school. Supt., Mr. A. Turner.

11:00 a. m.—Sermon by Rev. I. M. Yancey.

5:30 p. m.—B. Y. P. U. Rev. W. L. Bryant, president.

7:00 p. m.—Sermon by Rev. I. M. Yancy.

7:00 p. m.—Monday missionary meeting, Mrs. Calvin Owens, president.

7:00 p. m.—Wednesday prayer service. Geo. Turner, Pres.

We have had services this week. Rev. Yancy is preaching soul-stirring sermons. He will be with us all next week and will preach each night. Come out and hear this great gospel message.

PLEASANT GREEN BAPTIST
B. R. Reed, Pastor

Sunday school, 9:30 a. m. Prof. E. M. Gentry, Supt.

Preaching at 11 a. m. by the pastor. Subject, "Soul Thirsting for God."

Baptismal services at 2:30 p. m. Everybody come. All the candidates should be ready at the church by 2:30 p. m.

B. Y. P. U., 6:30 p. m. Nettie Williams, president and Beatrice Clark, vice president.

Preaching at 7:30 p. m. by the pastor. Subject, "The Pale Horse and His Rider. All friends are invited to come and see us Sunday morning and hear the sermo nthat will be delivered by our pastor, who is preaching so wonderfully here of late. The sermons last week were great. Come out and see us Sunday morning. There were several converts this past week during services. There has been preaching every evening and the results have been splendid.

Prayer meeting Wednesday evening. Every member is expected to be on hand. We expect all officers and presidents of clubs to be on hand. The deacons certainly ought to be out.

At the Pleasant Green Baptist church next Monday night Samuel Wise will deliver his lecture on "The Holy Land."

KENDALL AVENUE BAPTIST
E. E. Barnhart, Pastor

Sunday school at 9 o'clock. Why not start in now with other new scholars to attend Sunday school? We have a well organized school with trained teachers.

B. Y. P. U. at 6 o'clock. An interesting topic.

Evening worship at 7 o'clock. Sermon by the pastor. Subject, "An Open Door."

A friendly church for all classes. Give us a chance to prove our welcome.

CALVARY BAPTIST CHURCH
Hutchins Avenue, near Eleventh
Lewis N. Kayser, Pastor.

A. H. Dodds, Sunday School Supt.

9:00 a. m. Sunday School.

10:15 Morning Worship. Subject: "Christ, the Head of the Church."

6:30 B. Y. P. U. A. H. Dodds, leader.

7:30 Evening Service. Subject: "The Three Fs."

BEREAN BAPTIST CHURCH
W. H. Overstreet, Pastor

Sunday school at 9 a. m. S. A. Purtee superintendent. We are looking for you to be present tomorrow. Let's make it 200.

Morning worship at 10:10. We will have brief reports from delegates to mid-year meeting, followed by the regular morning service.

Preaching at 7 p. m. Subject: "The Glorious Gospel of the Blessed God."

Wednesday evening prayer meeting at 7 o'clock.

Our special revival meetings begin April 29. We are asking our people to remember these meetings in much prayer.

We invite the public to all our services.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
Gallia and Waller Streets
H. S. Tillis, Pastor

Bible school, 9 a. m. General Supt., Thomas D. Smith. The Bible school is to be favored with special selections by the colored quartet.

Lesson subject, "An Outline Study of Jacob's Life." Lesson Text, Gen. 25 to 35. "Man's extremity is God's opportunity." When in the midst of the fire and the Hous God delivered his vision. When being stoned Stephen saw heaven open. It was after the sun had set on Jacob's path, that he saw the ladder.

Morning worship, 10:30. Subject, "The Church." Baptism. At this service there will be reception of new members and the hand of fellowship.

B. Y. P. U., 6 p. m. Subject, "The Bible, the Very Word of God." This service is to be held in the main auditorium.

Intermediate B. Y. P. U., 6 p. m.
Lessons from the Tabernacle.
Evening worship, 7 o'clock.
Subject, "The Purpose of the Cross."

Morning Music

Prelude—The Brook, Wilson.
Offertory—Song Without Words, Mallard.
He Is Mine, J. Lincoln Hall; mixed quartet, Miss Esther Gulkey, soprano; Mrs. E. N. Fetter, alto; Mr. Wade Quillen, basso; E. N. Fetter, tenor.

Evening Music

Prelude—Andante, Sheppard.
Offertorie—Battmann.
Chorus—Faith Is The Victory.
Mrs. Mildred Schuler, supply organist.

CHRISTIAN

FIRST CHRISTIAN
Corner Third and Gay Streets
Gerald Culberson, Minister
C. M. Howland, Supt.

The big Bible school assembles at 9:00 o'clock. Chas. M. Howland, Supt.

Morning worship and Lord's Supper at 10:30. The minister having attended the Disciples' Congress in Indianapolis the past week, will describe some of the high points of this gathering, embracing some very distinguished leaders.

Young People's Societies of Christian Endeavor meet at 6 p. m.

Evening worship at 7:15. The subject of the evening discourse is, "A Denominational Medley."

The rite of baptism will be administered.

A cordial invitation is extended to all who might worship with this church on the Lord's day.

OHIO AVENUE CHRISTIAN
W. L. Huffman, Minister

Bible School at 9 a. m., J. C. Harris, superintendent. Preaching by the pastor at 10:30 a. m. and 7:15 p. m. We begin a protracted meeting Sunday, April 8th. Services each evening at 7:15 p. m. Prof. L. R. Latrell of Hillsboro, Ohio, will lead our singing. Do not fail to hear him. You are cordially invited to attend all these services.

GRANDVIEW CHURCH OF CHRIST
Cor. Grandview and Robinson
O. H. Gast, Minister

Bible school at 9 a. m. The lesson is the 16th chapter of First Corinthians." Bring a friend. Be on time.

Communion services at 10:00.

Christian Endeavor at 6:15 p. m.

Evangelistic services at 7:15 p. m. Subject, "An essential and all important ordinance." Can one evade it? Are sins remitted without it? Is one converted without it? Can one say he is a fit subject for the Kingdom without it? What does the Bible say about it? It is not what men say about it, but what does the Word of God say?

MISSION

HASTING HILL MISSION

Sunday School at 9:30 a. m., Edward Smith, superintendent.

Preaching at 6:30 p. m.

Bible study at 6:30 p. m. Saturday.

"A MESSAGE FROM A MAN IN HELL"

Do you believe in Hell? What does the Bible say about it? Is much attention and consideration given to the term in the Word of God. What do we know about it? Under the caption, "A Message From a Man in Hell," an interesting discussion will be given of this vital theme on Sunday night at seven o'clock at the First United Brethren Church, corner of Seventh and Gay streets, by the pastor of the church.

The Bible will be used as a basis of this discussion and nothing offensive or unreasonable will be projected. The message was inspired by some remarks by Dr. Geo. W. Anderson during the recent Crusade Campaign and will be entirely in keeping with the line of thought suggested by this great preacher. The public generally is urged to attend this service. Bring your Red Song Books. The service will be evangelistic. You are sure to enjoy it.

FIRST CHURCH TO HOLD COMMUNION

To-morrow night the First Presbyterian Church will observe the communion of the Lord's Supper and all members of the church are urged to be present.

First Church has had a most successful church year, many accessions being reported, and a splendid work accomplished.

DR. HAWK ATTENDS CONFERENCE

Rev. J. B. Hawk, Superintendent of the Portsmouth District of the M. E. Church, attended the Portsmouth District Conference of the Rural Life Association, meeting in Ironton yesterday at which plans for future work in this section were outlined.

The first session was held at 9:30 o'clock yesterday morning at the Immanuel Church and the meeting lasted throughout the day and evening.

Several matters of importance were discussed and papers were read by the various ministers present. President O. L. Hall of South Webster presided at the meeting.

Dr. Hawk will go to Jackson this afternoon and will hold services at the churches there tomorrow.

Donahoe, "Boy Evangelist" In Waverly

Fred Donahoe, son of Charles Donahoe of this city, and a member of the First Baptist church, is conducting a series of revival meetings in the United Brethren church in Waverly. Donahoe, who is nineteen years of age, is a graduate of the National Bible Institute of Philadelphia, and plans to attend a Theological Seminary next year.

Speaking of his work, the Waverly Republican-Herald, says:

"Beginning Thursday night, April 5, at the U. B. church, Fred Donahoe, the "Boy Evangelist," will conduct evangelistic services. Fred is only nineteen years of age, but a graduate of the National Bible Institute of Philadelphia, and a fiery preacher of a fiery gospel. He has a wonderful message, an old message, and he preaches it in the power and assurance of the Holy Spirit. Fred has preached in churches, mission halls and on the street corners in the slum districts of our large cities and he knows that the gospel is still the "Power of God unto salvation."

SPECIAL MUSIC AT MANLY SUNDAY

Those who will attend the services at Manly tomorrow will be specially favored by the music program that has been arranged for the day. Mr. H. W. Mehling, one of Second Presbyterian's tenors will sing for the men during their Bible class session; and Mr. Clyde Knost will render a solo at the morning church service. At this service the choir will also sing "The Day Unfolds," by Wilson.

At the evening service the choir will furnish the music, using for their anthems "Angelic Songs," by Hime, and "The Storm He Stays," by Kirk.

Trinity Men And Women To Rally Sunday

The contest between the men and women at Trinity Sunday school has many eyes centered upon it for tomorrow's session will decided whether the women will be credited with two straight wins or the series to date a tie. Last Sunday the women walloped the men to the tune of 180 to 145 and the men have been smarting under the sting of defeat all week and say that the tables will be turned tomorrow. Some wag in the men's class dubbed the contest a scrap between the "Maggies" and "Jiggses" and this inference got into the papers much to the delight of the men and chagrin of the ladies, and now the tormenting men seem to keep constantly referring to the ladies as "Maggies." And to carry the application still further, the men say that if they lose and have to put up the feed for the women according to the rules of the contest, they will have a supper of "corned beef and cabbage" so much beloved by the original Jiggs.

To bolster up the attendance for Sunday the men's class the past week has mailed out two hundred and fifty letters to persons on their roll asking them to rally for the honor of the class. Prof. Appel, teacher of the class, has prepared an extraordinary lesson and this in addition to the individual efforts of the members ought to result in a large men's class tomorrow. If you are a man and not attending Sunday school elsewhere there is a cordial welcome awaiting you at Trinity at 9 o'clock.

ALL SAINTS' PARISH NOTES

Monday being the Feast of the Annunciation of the Blessed Virgin Mary, there will be a celebration of the Holy Communion in the chapel at 9:00 a. m.

If by chance you were prevented from making your Easter offering last Sunday, will you please do so tomorrow in order that a final report may be made at the evening service?

All who did not, through any cause, make their Easter communion on Easter Day or the two following days, are reminded of their opportunity to do so at the 10:30 service tomorrow.

The Bishop will visit the parish on Tuesday, April 17th, in order to confirm a class of children and adults. On this occasion he will be the guest of the parish at a dinner in the Parish House. Men and women of the parish are requested to note this date and make no other engagements.

The dinner to the Bishop referred to in the note preceding will be in charge of a committee made up of representatives from the various Guilds and Societies of women in the parish.

SCIENTIST

FIRST CHURCH OF CHRIST SCIENTIST.
1406 Lincoln street

Regular Sunday services, 10:45 a. m. Subject, "Unreality." Golden text: Psalms 37:35-36. I have seen the wicked in great power and spreading himself like a green bay tree. Yet he passed away, and, lo, he was not: yea I sought him, but he could not be found.

Sunday school, 9:30 a. m.

Wednesday evening meeting, 7:45.

Reading room, 1406 Lincoln street. Open Tuesday and Friday from 2 until 4 p. m.

All are welcome to attend the services and visit the reading room.

BIBLE STUDENTS

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International Bible Students Association meet in the public library auditorium.

Morning service beginning at 9:30. Lesson in Vol. 1. Study XIII. The kingdoms of this world. Questions 28 to 34.

Junior class meet at same hour. Lesson in Scenario of Creation, page 12. Topic: Pride, Jealousy, Anger, Murder.

Evening service beginning at 7:30. A Bible lecture by N. D. Edwards. Topic: The New Heavens and the New Earth.

This is the second lecture of the series of 13 lectures. Chart lecture No. 2. This lecture will sequel No. 1. After you shall have heard these two lectures you will have learned the secret of real and orderly Bible study.

Wednesday evening at 7:30.

Prayer, Praise and Testimony meeting.

Topic: Ye are sanctified by the spirit of God. I Cor. 6:11.

LUTHERAN

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C. A. Rhiel, Pastor
Residence—1921 Timmonds Avenue

The First Lutheran Church will hold regular morning worship in the Auditorium of the Library at 10:15.

Sunday school at 9:15.

The graded Sunday school system is used in the various classes. Albert Asche, superintendent.

The choir will meet Friday evening April 13, at the home of Mr. Fred Duvendeck.

Subject Sunday worship: "The Great Confession of Thomas The Doubter, My Lord and My God."

TRINITY CHURCH NEWS

The officers, teachers and lay workers of Trinity church, had an unusually interesting session on Thursday evening. At 6 o'clock a dinner was served to 100 persons, following which there was a short song and prayer service. The superintendent, Mr. John T. Breece, in his happy manner conducted a business session and it was demonstrated that the company was full of "pep" for much was accomplished in a very short while. The play grounds, near the church is to resume its usual activities as soon as seasonable. They also decided to employ Mrs. Albert McCorkle to assist the different societies in their social activities. Another interesting feature was decided, that of giving a reception in the near future for the many new members, which have been added this year. This Sunday school is planning many new features to interest her young people which attend in goodly numbers each Sunday. The workers all seem very optimistic of this being the biggest and best year Trinity every experienced.

TO MAKE TALK ON TURKEY

L. W. Bragdon will have charge of John McMillan's Sunday School class of young men at Trinity Sunday school Sunday morning. He will give a talk on his trip through Turkey.

SPECIAL MUSIC

The First Presbyterian Church will have special music at both services tomorrow. At the Communion service in the evening Mrs. Mae Ly... will sing "Oh Eyes That Are Weary," by Brackett. In the morning Alex MacIntosh, baritone soloist, will sing for his selection "I Come To Thee," by Cara Roma. The church quartette will have special numbers at each service.

Miss Dolly Wise

She is here to answer any and all questions concerning love, matrimony, troubles, woes, etiquette, etc. Inquiries should be addressed to Miss Dolly Wise, care The Daily Times, Portsmouth, Ohio.

Dear Miss Wise—I am a girl 14 years of age and am very poor, and am working to help my mother clothe myself and her. Dolly, I will have to cook a chicken for dinner Sunday, but don't know how to make noodles. Please give me a good recipe for noodles.

LITTLE MARY ANN.

Here is a good recipe for noodles. Take two eggs, beat up, add a pinch of salt, and enough flour to make a stiff dough. Roll out and let stand from 15 minutes to a half an hour. Dust with flour and roll up like a jelly roll and cut in thin strips, straighten out and put on a plate until ready to cook. You might take your chicken out before you put the noodles in the soup. Cook from 40 minutes to an hour.

Dear Miss Wise—My parents are separated, and have been separated ever since I was three years of age, and Dolly, to get married do you have to have both your mother and father's consent, or a consent from one of them.

BLUE EYES.

If you are 18 or over, you do not need the consent of either parent. If not your mother's consent will be sufficient since she is your guardian. If you are not 18 I would advise you to wait a year or two before you get married.

Dear Dolly—I am a girl of 22 and have been going with a young man of 24 for the past six years. I haven't gone with anyone else during that time. The man comes to see me two and three times a week. He drives a car and comes from a good family. He is bashful and has never approached the subject of matrimony, although I know that he cares for me. I have been invited and have gone to the home of his parents several times and they have always treated me fine. His bashfulness is getting the better of me. It seems to me that after wasting six perfectly good years on him he should have mentioned marriage to me. I think I am getting old enough to get married. Do you think this is all due to his bashfulness? Next year is leap year and if he does not pop the question before that time, do you think I would lower myself in his estimation if I would ask him? My parents also think it very queer that we are "hanging on" as it were, and they often scold me for going with a man who has no intention of marrying me. This, of course hurts my feelings very much, as I think he means well but does not know how to go about it.

WORRIED GIRL.

It is the man's privilege to suggest marriage, and not the woman's. It is simply a tradition that girls propose in leap year. Perhaps some do, but I would not advise it. Your position is maddening, because, after six years of courtship other men think you are engaged and do not invite you places. I think however, that you should be patient, since the young man shows by his devotion that he cares for you. At the age of 24 he may not be in a position to assume the responsibilities of marriage. You are too young to be getting desperate. Since you started to keep company at fifteen or sixteen I suppose you do feel like an old woman ere this. You might jack him up a bit, by going with other men, if you have an opportunity.

TRUE BLUE—I wouldn't pay any attention to what the busy-bodies say. You did no more than what every one else has to do, and I think the people who were eaves-dropping or playing "Jack-the-peeper," have more to be ashamed of than anything you did. After all you were in your own house and had a perfect right to do as you pleased, regardless of what the people next door thought about it. Of course if you think it necessary, you might tell the people who are acting funny, just how it happened.

TIMES READER—Would advise you to ask your physician or some woman who has raised a family, about your baby. I think however, that from ten months to a year is about the right age for what you inquired about.

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SOCIAL NEWS

Miss Olive Chinn presided as hostess at a charming bridge party Wednesday afternoon at her home, 2115 Grandview avenue, complimenting Miss Mildred Shepherd, of Cincinnati, who is the guest of Miss Ruth Crawford, of Ninth street. At the close of several interesting games of cards the prize for top score was awarded to Miss Laura Donaldson. Later Miss Chinn was assisted by Miss Dorothy Zucker in serving a dainty refreshment course.

Those favored were Misses Alma Cadot, Pauline Coburn, Thelma Chabot, Alice Maifer, Mildred Zucker, Ruth Crawford, Ruth Reinicker, Virginia Life, Catherine Burns, Clara Watkins, Ruth Donaldson, Laura Donaldson, Lillian Chinn, and Mildred Shepherd.

The meeting of the Clover club, scheduled for Tuesday evening at the home of Miss Vere Crawford, has been changed to Monday evening on account of the musicale to be held in the Elk parlors on Tuesday evening. All members are asked to note the change.

Mr. and Mrs. George Funk of Campbell avenue and Mr. and Mrs. Blaine Powell of Eighth street motored to Cincinnati this morning for a few days' visit. While there Mr. Powell will undergo a slight operation.

Buckeye Tribe Lodge No. 558 will hold their monthly social on Tuesday afternoon at two o'clock at Duna's Hall on Gallia street. The hostesses will be Mrs. Myrtle Staley, Mrs. Fannie Fogleman and Miss Ella Mae Hall.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Herns of Sixth Street, will motor to Cincinnati Monday morning accompanying their daughter Miss Katherine Herns who will return to Oxford to resume her studies at Miami University after a week's visit with home folks.

A wedding announcement that will be of interest to their many friends is that of Miss Julia M. Haas, attractive young daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Felix Haas of 1622 Fifth street, and Mr. Simon S. Lehman, son of Mr. Max Lehman of 1705 Timmonds avenue, which took place in Cincinnati Friday afternoon, April sixth.

The ceremony was performed at four o'clock at the home of the bride's brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph S. Stern, by Rabbi James S. Heller, of the Plum street Synagogue, following which an elaborate bridal dinner was served at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Stern. Later in the evening Mr. and Mrs. Lehman left on a wedding trip to Chicago, after which they will return to this city and take up their residence in the Ruggles Apartments, Second and Waller streets.

Mrs. Lehman is the youngest of the two charming daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Haas and for the past few years has been teaching kindergarten in the Garfield School.

Mr. Lehman is associated with his father-in-law in the real estate business and is one of the city's prominent and progressive young business men.

Miss Alma Moritz of the Boulevard and Miss Katherine Springer of Twenty-Eighth Street are spending their spring vacation with relatives at Friendship and Long Run.

Better Than Calomel

Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets are a Harmless Substitute

Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets—the substitute for calomel—are a mild but sure laxative, and their effect on the liver is almost instantaneous. These little olive colored tablets are the result of Dr. Edwards' determination not to treat liver and bowel complaints with calomel.

The pleasant little tablets do the good that calomel does, but have no bad after effects. They don't injure the teeth like strong liquids or calomel. They take hold of the trouble and quickly correct it. Why cure the liver at the expense of the teeth? Calomel sometimes plays havoc with the gums. So do strong laxatives. It is best not to take calomel. Let Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets take its place.

Headaches, "dullness" and that lazy feeling come from constipation and a disordered liver. Take Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets when you feel "blogy" and "heavy." They "clear" clouded brain and "perk up" the spirits. 15c and 30c.—Advertisement.

4153. Girls' Dress.

Cut in 4 sizes: 8, 10, 12 and 14 years. A 10 year size requires 4 1-2 yards of 32 inch material. Price 10 cents.

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Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound Made Her Eat, Sleep and Feel Better Every Way

Chicago, Ill.—"I was weak and rundown and in such a nervous condition that I could hardly do my work. I was tired all the time, and dizzy, and could not sleep and had no appetite. I tried different medicines for years, but they did not help me. Then I read in the papers about Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and what it had done for other women and gave it a trial. I began to eat better and could sleep, and consider it a wonderful medicine. I recommend it to my friends and will never be without it."—Mrs. M. OHLEN, 3640 S. Marshfield Ave., Chicago, Ill.

It is such letters as these that testify to the value of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. This woman speaks from the fullness of her heart. She describes as correctly as she can her condition, first the symptoms that bothered her the most, and later the disappearance of those symptoms. It is a sincere expression of gratitude.

For nearly fifty years Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has been so praised by women.

Mrs. Elizabeth Pressler of 1628 Eighteenth Street, had as all day guests Thursday, Mrs. Arthur Pressler and daughters Bettie and Dorothy of Newport, Ky., Mrs. Nick Delhotel and daughter Christena; Mrs. Chas. Fagan and daughter Elizabeth and son Billy; Mrs. Clarence Pressler and son Waller; and Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Pressler.

Mrs. Aronhold C. Schapiro and baby were removed from Mercy Hospital yesterday to their home, 2304 Micklethwaite Road.

Mrs. William Bradshaw of Castle Hill is spending the week with friends at Linwood.

Mrs. C. P. Tracy and daughter, Miss Mabel of Kinney's Lane, Mrs. Uriah Tracy and Wayne Brady of Grandview Avenue, motored to Columbus Friday to visit until this evening.

Miss Elizabeth Ackley of Grandview Avenue, has returned from a week's visit with her grandmother, Mrs. R. A. Smith of Bonna Vista.

Mrs. W. H. Beehler of Grandview Avenue, who has been quite ill for the past four months, is slightly improved.

Mrs. Anna Gleason of Cincinnati is visiting with her son and daughter in law, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Gleason of Seventeenth Street.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Kelley and Miss Katherine Kenrick of Ninth street enjoyed a motor trip to Wellston Friday.

Mrs. John C. Walsh who has been visiting with her son in law and daughter, Attorney and Mrs. John F. Johnley of 2226 Grandview Avenue returned to her home at Otway Friday afternoon.

Miss Mildred Moore of McConnell Avenue, has gone to Ashland, Ky., for a visit with Mrs. Ray Richmond.

After a visit with Mrs. Lester Jones of Vinton Avenue, Mrs. John L. Thomas and daughters, Gertrude and Annette have returned to their home at Bluefield, W. Va.

Mr. and Mrs. Wiley Dyer and children Harold and Edgar of Grandview Avenue, left Friday for a visit with Mr. and Mrs. James Dyer at Franklin Furnace.

Mr. and Mrs. Grant Watson, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Morgan, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas McManus and daughters, Martha and Margaret, have returned from a visit to friends on Long Run.

Mrs. Dora Taylor and children, James and Helen, have returned to their home at Powellsville after a visit with Mrs. Oscar Burkhart of Grandview Avenue.

Miss Dorothy Smith of Seventeenth Street and Miss Georgia McCord of Glover Street, are in Ironton visiting with Miss Shirley Spears.

Mrs. Robert Wile of Grant Street, who has been visiting in Cincinnati with relatives, will return home today.

Miss Ruth Franklin of the High School faculty will return to her home, 1417 Fourth Street, after a week's visit with relatives at Erie, Mich.

Declined To Be Queen?

Lady Mary Cambridge is betrothed to the Marquis of Worcester. Her engagement to the Prince of Wales was frequently rumored and now gossip in London society circles is that Lady Mary refused England's future king when he proposed.

Misses Jane and Ruth Lanier who have been spending the week with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas E. Lanier of Franklin Avenue will leave tomorrow for the Ursaline Convent in Brown County.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Andris and daughter Mary Josephine of Cincinnati, will visit with local relatives over the week end.

Miss Ruby Watkins of Grandview Avenue is spending her spring vacation with her grandmother, Mrs. Elizabeth Watkins at Waverly.

Mr. and Mrs. George Agee of Grandview Avenue have purchased a new home at 1623 Mound Street, where they will soon move.

Miss Isabel Musser of Park Avenue will return today from Charleston, W. Va., where she has spent a delightful week with Mrs. Ella Matthesson.

Mrs. S. B. Davisson who underwent an operation at Schirrman Hospital on March 13, was removed to her home at 802 1-2 Second Street on Friday.

Edward Hock, son of Mr. and Mrs. George Hock of Wheelersburg, is recovering from a several weeks' illness with influenza.

Miss Anna Andrews of Summitt Street, is ill with measles.

Mrs. C. Stanley of Grandview Avenue has received word of the serious illness of her sister, Mrs. A. E. Boltz of Cincinnati. Mrs. Boltz was formerly Miss Rena Boyd of this city and has many friends here who will regret to learn of her illness.

Ray Bussa will return to his home in Columbus today after a visit with relatives in Portsmouth and Scioto-ville.

Miss Cora Leesburg of Columbus is making a two weeks' visit with her mother, Mrs. Sarah Leesburg of Wheelersburg.

Dr. and Mrs. H. A. Schirman and daughters Gretchen and Augusta, of Chillicothe Street, have returned from a week's stay in the east. Mrs. Schirman and daughters visited at Atlantic City while Dr. Schirman attended a medical conference at Philadelphia.

START TODAY TO CLEAN HOUSE BODILY

This is the time to rid your body of the poisons which, through lack of exercise, have collected in your system during the long winter months.

Take a food tonic now such as Father John's Medicine. It helps to drive out impurities and its rich, healthbuilding vitamin content creates new strength and energy.

Father John's Medicine has been in use over 67 years as the greatest body builder.—Advertisement.

Homer Cook and Paul Thompson of Grandview Avenue are spending their spring vacation with relatives at South Webster.

Mr. and Mrs. Milton K. Davidson have returned to their home at Chicago after a visit with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Davidson of Fourth Street.

Frank Morgan has returned to Warren, Ohio, after a visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Morgan of Rosemount Road.

Having come here to be present for the family reunion in celebration of the golden wedding of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Davidson, Fourth Street, Mrs. Charles Hyland of Cincinnati, and Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Davidson of Kansas City, Mo., left Thursday. Mr. and Mrs. Davidson made a brief visit with Mr. and Mrs. Hyland in Westwood, Cincinnati, before leaving Friday night for their home.

Miss Lillian Matthews who appeared in one of the plays given Tuesday night by the Oberlin Dramatic Association at the High School will leave Sunday for Oberlin College to resume her studies after a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Matthews of Three Oaks, Rose Ridge, having been compelled to remain here to recuperate from a severe cold.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Kendell of Third Street, had as dinner guests Friday evening, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Babcock, Gilbert Kendell and Dr. and Mrs. Gilbert Micklethwaite.

The Central L. T. L. met last evening at the home of Alice Pose, 1747 Seventh street. There were eighteen members and eight visitors present. Marguerite Martin and Darline Cox were welcomed as new members.

After the business meeting a program of songs and recitations was given by the following children: Frances Martin, Nancy Beasley, Anita Staiger, Evelyn Staiger, Mary Jane Backus, Alice Pose, Bertha Cox Howard Cooper and Walter Pose. A feature of the evening was the birthday celebrations of three members of the society, Evelyn and Lillian Staiger and Alice Pose. Each child was presented with a birthday remembrance.

Later in the evening they marched into the dining room where they were served with ice cream and cake by Mrs. Pose, assisted by Mrs. Carl Staiger.

The next meeting will be held the first Friday evening in May, when the birthdays of four of the members will be celebrated.

The Misses Clara and Louise Fuccl left this afternoon for New York City, where they will spend the summer with relatives.

Miss Gaynelle Crookshanks of 1410 Grandview avenue is spending the week-end with friends in Cincinnati.

Miss Dorothy Walters of 1059 Twenty-Second street has as a week-end guest Miss Helen Evans of Wheelersburg.

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Adventures Of The Twins

BY OLIVE ROBERTS BARTON

WHEN Nancy and Nick left the Cut-Out Lady's house, all the Sugar-Plum Landers crowded about them.

Not one of them was walking on his head in spite of the fact that the Gingerbread Man had said everybody must walk on his head for a week.

"What happened?" asked the Knick-Knack Elephant.

"It's all right," nodded Nick. "The Cut-Out Lady won't make the Gingerbread Man cross any more because we gave her a heart and another good eye. So now he won't make any more bad laws for you to break."

"Oh, goody," cried the elephant turning a back somersault.

"Let's all go to the Gingerbread Man's palace," said the Chocolate Rabbit.

"Yes, let's," repeated the Muffin Man. "I haven't seen him since I made him and no doubt he needs patching."

Nancy and Nick led the procession, and away they all marched, past the lollypop field and the orchard of candy-trees to the palace where the Gingerbread Man lived in a house made of bricks of ice cream of different shades and shingled with chocolate chips.

"We have good news, your majesty," said Nick. "The Cut-Out Lady will sew your buttons on straight after this."

"Thank goodness," answered his royal highness. "Now I'll make my dog let her cat alone. And I'll make better laws, too. There! I feel a law coming now. I'll have to make it. Here it is: Nobody is to do any work at all!"

"Hurrah!" cried all the Sugar-Plum Landers.

"We've Nancy and Nick to thank for that," said the Green-Sugar Pig.

"Cockadoodledoo!" crowed the Maple-Sugar Rooster.

Everybody was happy so the Twins said goodby and went back to the Fairy Queen's Palace in their Magic Shoes.

(To Be Continued)

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Ten new members were added to the Business and Professional Women's Club at their meeting last evening at the Mary Louise. The new members include Dr. Alice Lyle, Mrs. H. M. Baker, Mrs. Mabel Pick Stahler, the Misses Nettie Pray, Vesta Stockham, Edna Boyer, Elizabeth Dice, Margaret Balmert and Mayme Flannigan.

Miss Jeanette Eileen Diller, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Diller of Gallia street, is spending the spring vacation with her aunt, Mrs. M. McClain of South Portsmouth, Ky.

Mrs. Grover Wyatt and daughter, Mildred, and son Thomas of Timmonds avenue have returned from a week's visit with relatives in Hillsboro.

The Misses Edith and Ruby Scammyhorn, of Thirteenth stret and Miss Catherine Elkins of New Boston left this afternoon for avisit with relatives in the Eastern part of the state.

The Doctor Shoko His Head

and told the patient she had only a few years to live.

The case was one of

High Blood Pressure

Both the patient and doctor live in San Francisco, and the scene above recorded took place in May, 1921.

Today is patient is well. Here is her story taken from her letters in our files:

May 18, 1921—"I am 52 years old, blood pressure 200; have kidney trouble, dropsy, dizzy spells and fearful headaches. My trouble has been coming on for years and getting worse all the time. Have started taking the Witter Water, according to your directions."

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she writes: "Saw my doctor yesterday and he found my blood pressure normal and my other troubles all gone. I danced for the first time in years on my last birthday."

Symptoms of High Blood Pressure

1. Cold hands and cold feet.
2. Slight momentary dizziness.
3. Sleep unfreshing.
4. Sleep disturbed by dreams.
5. Feeling of fullness in the head.
6. Gastric disturbances after meals.
7. Constipation.
8. Weakened and lowered vitality.
9. Nervousness.
10. Headaches.

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The Frances Badger Guild of All Saints' church will meet Monday afternoon at the home of Mrs. R. G. Hedley, 1670 Jackson street.

Mrs. Roy Snyder (Madeline Smith) and children, Robert and Edna Louise, have returned to their home in Stockdale after a three weeks' visit with relatives at Lucasville.

The Senior W. W. G.'s will meet Monday evening at the home of Miss Inez Starcher, 1524 Tenth street. The mite boxes will be opened at this meeting and all members are urged to be present.

The Scioto Bridge Club will meet on Thursday afternoon at the home of Miss Ruth Thompson, on "The Ridge," instead of at the home of Miss Kate McConnell as previously announced.

Says Harding To Be Elected

WASHINGTON, April 7—Resounding today to inquiries as to his attitude toward 1924, Vice President Coolidge predicted that President Harding's re-nomination and re-election would be demanded by the people because of the record of his administration.

The vice president declined to predict what his own attitude would be toward a renomination as Mr. Harding's running mate, indicating that he did not regard the present as an opportune time for discussion of the subject.

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By Ferry to South Portsmouth
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No.		Ferry Leaves	Train Leaves
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17	Daily ex Sun.	7:00 A. M.	7:30 A. M.
3	Daily	1:45 P. M.	2:15 P. M.
7	Daily	2:15 P. M.	2:45 P. M.
101	Daily	10:30 P. M.	10:55 P. M.

EAST BOUND

2	Daily	2:05 P. M.	2:35 P. M.
16	Daily ex Sun	2:22 P. M.	2:52 P. M.
106	Daily	11:08 P. M.	11:39 P. M.
4	Daily	11:45 P. M.	12:15 A. M.
6	Daily	10:50 A. M.	11:20 A. M.

Nos. 101 and 106 carry Pullman passengers only to Cincinnati, Huntington and Charleston. Tickets and reservations may be had at Ticket Office, 516 Fourth Street, Phone 41.

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Effective Jan. 8, 1923

EAST BOUND

No. 8	Daily	5:00 A. M.
No. 16	Daily	11:55 A. M.
No. 32	Daily	8:00 P. M.
No. 4	Daily	12:15 A. M.

NORTH BOUND

No. 3	Daily	7:40 A. M.
No. 33	Daily	6:55 A. M.
No. 15	Daily	3:20 P. M.
No. 29	Daily Does Not Run West of Portsmouth	8:45 P. M.

WEST BOUND

No. 23	Daily	3:55 A. M.
No. 35	Daily ex. Sunday	7:05 A. M.
No. 37	Daily	2:10 P. M.
No. 25	Daily	3:40 P. M.

EAST BOUND

No. 28	Daily	10:20 A. M.
No. 26	Daily	11:55 A. M.
No. 36	Daily except Sunday	9:35 P. M.
No. 24	Daily	11:35 P. M.

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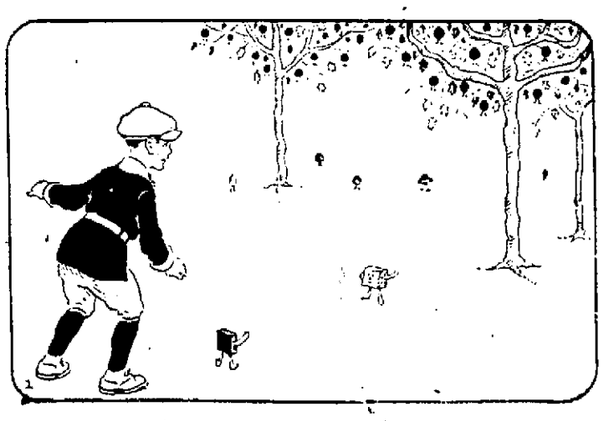
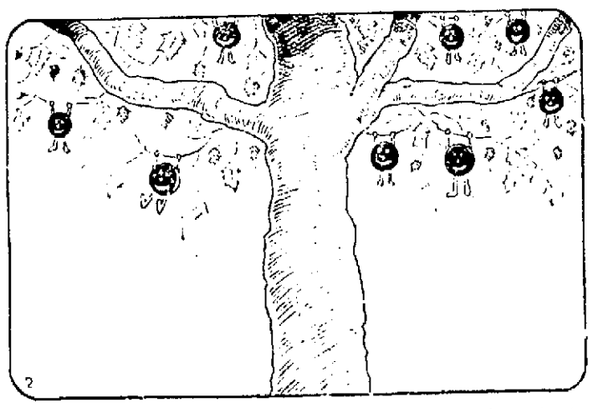
JACK DAW IN CANDY LAND

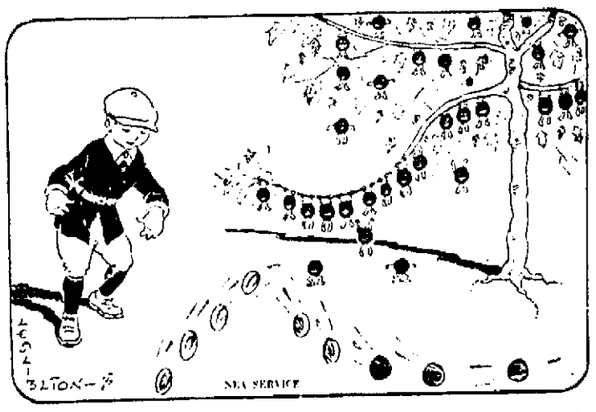
BY ELTON



Jack and Caramel walked a short distance and came upon a little grove of queer looking trees. "This is Maple Grove," said Caramel, "and all those little brown circles are maple sugar. They hang on the trees until they get just so big and then they swing until they drop off."



At that moment several of the little Maple Sugars started swaying back and forth. "Hello, Mister Caramel," shouted one of them. "If you'll wait just a minute we'll swing off of this tree and be down on the ground to greet you and your friend." "All right! Come ahead!" replied Caramel.



And then the Maple Sugars started dropping off. They were so heavy that they made the branches hang low and the short drop to the ground didn't hurt them. After Jack met these brown candies he was startled to see them begin rolling around. "That's how they travel," said Caramel.

(Continued.)

State Printers' Conference Opens At The Washington Tonight

Brands It Nonsense

LONDON—Sir Rider Haggard, of Hastings, England, says that all talk about Lord Carnarvon's death being due to curse, is nonsense.

Many Delegates Arrive For Meeting; Business Sessions To Be Followed By Banquet

Delegates to the thirty-second semi-annual State Printers' Conference to be held here tonight and tomorrow started arriving this morning, the majority coming on the noon trains from Columbus and Cincinnati.

At 7:30 tonight the opening session will be held at the Washington hotel. It will be the headquarters for the Conference delegates, who will be entertained by Portsmouth Local No. 637. Local printers have been working faithfully on plans for the entertainment of the delegates and visitors.

The visitors' short stay in the Peerless City will be made as pleasurable as possible as the committee on arrangements has left nothing undone that would provide for their entertainment. Men, who rank high in the printer's craft will enjoy the hospitality of Portsmouth tonight and Sunday and members of the Local No. 637 will make a special effort to see that a welcome is extended to each visitor and that his stay is fraught with the keenest pleasure.

To permit the printers to make their final plans for the two days' meeting The Times comes to its readers a little earlier than usual today.

At the opening session this evening Mayor William N. Gableman, Representative Adam Frick and Prosecuting Attorney S. A. Skelton will be the local speakers. Officers of the state organization are also expected to make short addresses.

At ten o'clock tonight a buffet lunch will be served.

Sunday morning at 8:30 there will be a business session followed by a banquet at 12 o'clock. Several addresses will follow the banquet after which the final business session will be held.

Prominent speakers of the craft, who are expected, are Conference President D. P. Rogers, of Springfield; Conference Secretary-Treasurer J. W. Finch, Cleveland; International President, John P. McParland, of New York and Indianapolis; Herman Whitter, former Conference President and now head of the Department of Industrial Relations of Ohio, and J. W. Hayes, International Financial Secretary of New York and Indianapolis.

Grand Army Day Is Observed, War Veterans Honored By Relief Corps

Grand Army Day, observed in the American Legion Home, Seventh and Gay streets, Friday afternoon by the Woman's Relief Corps, with the gallant "boys in blue" as their honored guests, was an unqualified success. Other patriotic organizations in the city took part in the impressive exercises and the halls fairly shook with the songs of the dear old past, which were sung with much enthusiasm, among them being "Tenting Tonight," 'Marching Through Georgia,' "The Battle Hymn of the Republic" and "America." Among the war veterans who made short talks were Dr. P. J. Kline, J. J. Davidson, Commander of the local G. A. R. Post, Samuel McElhaney, Firman Smith and Harry Kahnay.

Mrs. Mary Hayes presided at the piano and she and Mrs. Lydia Rowe sang a duet, 'When You and I Were Young, Maggie." The exercises were well attended and thoroughly enjoyed.

At the close of the program refreshments were served.

Two Stillers Are Nabbed; Fined

John Royse was found guilty of three charges of violating the dry laws at a hearing before Squire George S. Morgan Saturday and fines aggregating $800 were assessed against him while his companion, James Call, pleaded guilty and he was passed a fine of $200 and costs. Royse was charged with manufacturing, possessing liquor and possessing a still.

The men, both of this city, were caught in a raid staged by county officers yesterday afternoon on their liquor making retreat in a house on the Bennett farm situated in Harrison township, about a mile south of Upper Wheeler's Mills, which resulted in the officers seizing two stills, one of fifty gallons and the other of ten gallons capacity, together with 550 gallons of mash and six gallons of the finished product. The mash was destroyed and the stills and other equipment were brought to the county jail with the prisoners.

Call arranged to pay up and was released, but having no funds Royse languishes in the county jail.

O. R. C. Auxiliary Initiates Class

The banner meeting held by the Ladies' Auxiliary to the Order of Railway Conductors since being organized fifteen years ago, was the session Wednesday, April 4th, when a large class of new members were initiated in the Circle of Friendship. The work was put on by the Grand Appointed Officer, Mrs. Anna Lynch of Lima. Members from out of town were, Mrs. Anna Gleason, of Cincinnati, and Mrs. Anna Hunt, of Gauley Bridge, W. Va. All the members of the class were residents of Portsmouth, except Mrs. Margaret Gillespie of Gauley Bridge.

A social meeting was held at ten in the morning, this being followed by luncheon at 11:30 in the Manly church basement, with Mrs. B. S. Fugitt, as chairman of the social committee. The menu included chicken, noodles, cole slaw, mashed potatoes, baked beans, pickles, bread, butter, ice cream, cake and coffee.

The initiation took up the greater part of the afternoon, after which Mrs. Lynch was given a handkerchief shower. Many and beautiful were those given, and Mrs. Lynch in her farewell talk thanked the members most heartily for the reception and gifts. The visiting officer urged the members to forge ahead to a greater victory, adding that she would always be glad to return to Portsmouth to help in the initiating of a large class. During the meeting the children were looked after by Miss Betty Ryan, who is not a member, but a good friend of the organization. She is a sister of Conductor Robert Ryan.

U. C. T.'s Will Hoor Dead Sunday

Every member of Portsmouth Council, United Commercial Travelers is urged to attend the annual memorial services to be held Sunday morning at the Second Presbyterian church.

The members are to meet at their hall, Fourth and Washington streets at 9:45 o'clock. From there they will march in a body to the church, where Rev. Hugh I. Evans will deliver a special sermon for the members. There will also be special music for this memorial service starting at 10:30 o'clock.

RIVER NEWS

The Ohio river registered a stage of 18.4 fet and rising in the Portsmouth district Saturday morning.

There were no boat movements scheduled for Saturday.

George Barr Buys Williamson Home

Dr. Howard Williamson has sold his two story brick residence at Second and Gay streets, to George Barr, well known Front street grocer. Possession will not be given for several months and Dr. Williamson and family will continue to occupy the property.

Ohio Legislators Work Until The Wee Small Hours, Recess Till April 27

COLUMBUS, O., April 7.—(By the Associated Press)—Working until one o'clock this morning, both branches of the legislature recessed until April 27. Approximately 300 of the 917 bills introduced had been passed.

During the fifteen-hour session yesterday eighty-three bills completed their passage through the two houses and were made ready for the desk of Governor Donahey. The house passed 20 senate bills and the senate 63 house bills. Each house in addition passed dozens of its own measures, few or none of which will be taken up and passed through the other house when the legislature returns from the recess.

The principal work to be done when the legislators return in three weeks, will be to take up measures which Governor Donahey may veto during the recess period and attempt to enact them over his objection.

While in reality both houses are in recess until April 27, technically they recessed for only five minutes, thus enabling the presiding officers to sign the scores of bills which were passed during the closing days and had not yet been printed and enrolled when work stopped.

The closing hours of yesterday's session witnessed triumph for labor and capital in their "agreed" scheme to amend the workmen's compensation law suitable to each. Pressure finally became so strong in mid-afternoon on members of the rules committee of the house that they yielded and brought capital's share of the amendment providing for elimination "agreed" scheme, a constitutional of the "open liability" on the floor for passage. Early in the evening both the amendment and the bill, labor's share of the agreement, which gives the workers increased benefits, had been passed by both houses.

Republican leaders, foiled in their plans not to submit any constitutional amendments during the present session, by the submission of the compensation amendment then decided to add two other constitutional proposals to the list that will be submitted to the voters in November. One would make the Ohio constitution conform to the federal constitution by eliminating the words "white male" from voters qualifications, and the other would authorize the secretary of state to publish proposed constitutional amendments and accompanying explanations instead of mailing them separately to each voter.

Among the last bills completed last night were the general appropriations bill carrying a total of $72,377,237.94, including reappropriations of close to three million dollars, the bus and truck regulation and license law, the bill providing for re-appraisement of real estate in 1924 and every eight years thereafter. The appropriations measure carried $200,000 for making the appraisal next year.

Bills affecting particular localities passed by the legislature during final sessions yesterday and sent to the governor included:

That of Representative Calvert, of Clark county, appropriating $10,000 for the erection of a monument to General George Rogers Clark and in honor of the battle of Piqua. The property will be turned back to the state upon completion.

Representative Baker, of Fairfield county, granting the Lancaster Power and Traction Company right of way through the grounds of the Boys' Industrial School.

Representative Lipp, of Hamilton county, permitting exchange of real estate between the William Henry Harrison Memorial Association, and the Big Four Railroad.

Representative Davidson, of Summit county, providing for abandonment of state's rights to Wolfe Creek, near Barberton, and for the sale to Barberton of a small feeder to the canal.

Representative Davidson, of Summit county, establishing a municipal court for the city of Barberton.

Wise Jottings

One fool can always find another fool to admire him.

Wise is the man who doesn't know more than he should.

Bowing to circumstances is apt to be enforced politeness.

Investigating committee have no terrors for honest men.

A pickpocket is an artist with a light and dainty touch.

Shallow men believe in luck, strong men in cause and effect.

Many a man who is willing to be a grafter lacks the chance.

It's always a case of the survival of the fittest. Are you it?

The sweetest slumber is the kind interrupted by the alarm clock.

News From Nearby Towns

NEW BOSTON

Joseph Sexton, Charles Hughes, and Orville Ruark were initiated at the meeting of the New Boston Council Jr. O. U. A. M. last night and the applications of James Luther and Orville Glickman were favorably balloted upon.

Frank Hanson, H. J. Cottle and Frank Hall, Sr., were reported ill.

Mr. and Mrs. John Miller and family have moved from 4212 Spruce street, to the Harrisonville Pike.

Thomas Powell was ill at his home on Rhodes avenue, Friday.

Mrs. John Munyan, of Gallia avenue, Sciotoville, spent Friday with her grandmother, Mrs. Joe Raynolds, and sisters, Marguerite and Wilma Adkins.

Miss Marguerite Whiting spent her week's school vacation with her friend, Miss Magdalene Oiler, of Haverhill.

Mrs. Joe Reynolds, of Rhodes avenue, has been seriously ill with rheumatism.

Mrs. Nellie Lintz was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Slaughter, of Glenwood avenue, Friday.

Mrs. Herbert Nickell, of 3853 Rhodes avenue, is recovering from a four weeks' illness.

Miss Evelyn Pyree, of North Moreland, who underwent an operation for appendicitis, in Hempstead Hospital last Wednesday, is getting along nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Burchett have moved from Carter City, Ky., to 4213 Spruce street.

Mrs. Laura Breden, of North Moreland, who has been ill for the past week, is improving.

The New Boston
STYLE SHOP
For Style and Value

Miss Helen Evans is spending the week-end with Miss Dorothy Walters of 1050 Twenty-second streets, Portsmouth.

Radius Rod Breaks

The radius rod of John Staten's Ford Sedan locked yesterday afternoon while he was driving down Chillicothe Street, having just turned south from Gallia, and as a result one tire was torn off and the machine broke down. Traffic was delayed for several minutes and the machine was taken to a garage for repairs by a wrecking crew. Mr. Staten conducts a lunch room at Eighth and Lincoln Streets.

SCIOTOVILLE and WHEELERSBURG

SCIOTOVILLE

Mrs. J. B. Tabor of Cumberland, Md., and Mrs. Robert Tabor and daughters Genevieve and Virginia of Portsmouth were guests of Mrs. Ira Shaffer of Green steet, Friday.

Ms. Amanda Corriell was the guest Friday of Mrs. Dan Cottle of Happy Hollow.

Frank Kirk of Highland Bend and Herman Bender of Bonsers Run made a business trip to Portsmouth Saturday.

Miss Genevieve Jenkins, of Linwood, is visiting her grand-parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lafe Yeley of Happy Hollow.

Ed Goodrich is ill with measles at his home in Swanger Valley.

WHEELERSBURG

Mrs. George Semones of New Boston, is the week end guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Harr of Pine Creek.

The members of the Ladies' Aid Society of the Baptist church, enjoyed an interesting meeting Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Mae Burgess. During the business session plans were made for a bake sale which will be held Saturday, April 28 in the Hoskins and May store. Later the social hour was enjoyed, during which time the hostess served a delicious refreshment course.

Those present were Mrs. Edna Burgess, Mrs. J. W. Hoskin, Mrs. Alva Daniels, Mrs. Butler Edmons, Mrs. Charles Reed, Mrs. Warren Shook and Miss Winifred Dils.

Rev. H. Stewart Tittle, pastor of the First Baptist church of Portsmouth, will hold services tomorrow afternoon at two o'clock in the Baptist church. Every member is urged to attend the afternoon services.

The members of the Women's Foreign Missionary Society of the M. E. church will hold their annual thank offering tomorrow evening at the church. The members of the Young Women's Foreign Missionary Society will present a Japanese Pageant in costume. A silver thank offering will be taken.

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Red Men Will Initiate Class

Seven palefaces, determined to see the inside of the Indians' wigwam, will be admitted into Seneca Tribe of Red Men at its regular meeting next week when the Chief's degree will be conferred upon the candidates. Plans for the initiation were completed at a meeting of the tribe Friday night.

May Festival In Grafton

GRAFTON, W. Va.—The annual May festival of Grafton has been set for Thursday, Friday and Saturday, May 17, 18, and 19 by the community music committee of the chamber of commerce. There will be juvenile and adult choruses in which several hundred voices will take part.

Coal Miner Kills Self

WHEELING, W. Va. James T. Mull, 58, coal miner, committed suicide by shooting himself with a shotgun. Ill health was believed to have caused despondency.

CHURCHES FIGHTING BETTING.

TOLEDO, O., April 7.—The Toledo Council of Churches conferred this afternoon with county officials in an effort to curb betting here during the racing season at the Fort Miami track. The prosecuting attorney's office promised cooperation.

MOTHER SUPERIOR DIES.

PEEKSKILL, N. Y., April 7.—(By the Associated Press)—The Rev. Mother Carmela, Mother Superior General of the Community of Missionary Sisters of the Third Order of St. Francis, died today at the Mother House of the American Province of Complications following influenza.

Mother Carmela, who was 58, was the head of the order throughout the world. Her health was undermined by privation suffered during the war.

To Practice Sunday

The Pittsburgh Giants will practice Sunday afternoon at Coney Island. All players who have applied for a try out with this team are requested to report to Manager Russ Hoveritor at 2:30 at Coney Island.

For games call W. E. Dodridge, Fairfield. Phone 9 R 13.

BIRTHS

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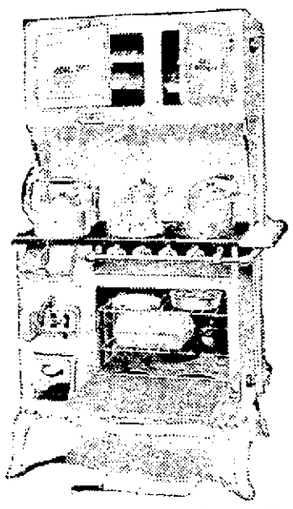

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TAXES POWER OF WRITER

Visitor Asserts View From Summit of Andes Is Such as Almost to Defy Description.

The view from the summit is magnificent in whichever direction one turns, but it is rather more interesting and varied toward the Pacific. That ocean is not over a hundred miles in a straight line from the crest of the divide, but all sight of it is cut off by the intervening summits. The scenery in this, or any other part of the Andes, is on too vast and imposing a scale for a man to come to any adequate comprehension of it. Still more hopeless is the possibility of conveying any effective impression of it to others. You may think you can describe it until you try; then you find that you are but stringing meaningless adjectives and shop-worn similes together.

At first you are inclined to be disappointed at your impotency; then you begin to feel small and ashamed that you should have presumed to attempt such a thing; finally, like a man covering up traces of guilt, you hasten to tear up and burn what you have written before some one comes and finds what you have been doing. There are some men who can draw better than others word-pictures of these great manifestations of nature, just as some men can paint better pictures on canvas than can others; but the best descriptions are only sounding brass and tinkling cymbal imitations of the unspeakable grandeur of the originals. Personally I throw up my hands and call myself off at the outset.—Lewis R. Freeman, in the Cornhill Magazine.

"SETTING HEN" IS PEEVED

Some Pertinent Observations Supposed to Have Been Made by Somewhat Disconsolate Biddy.

People say I'm independent. Well, if I want to set, I'm going to and nobody can change my mind.

Men are so rough. They come and yank me off my nest like I was a necessary evil. I think I have a right to fly back at them sometimes.

I like women best. They come and pet me and lift me off my nest so gently that I wish I could thank them for it.

I haven't much use for an old hen that wants to set all the time. Twice is enough. I know one hen in the flock that set all last summer and started out bright and early again this spring. If the boss was onto his job he'd make a chicken dinner out of her.

Wonder why all the hens peck at me when I ruffle up and go out into the yard to get a breath of fresh air.

I hate incubators. They are going to rob us of all our chicks and before long we won't have any excuse for setting. People must think we don't want to be mothers.

I'm getting awful thin. People think we don't need much when we are setting all the time, so they throw in only a little ear corn and the rats get the most of it.

I wish somebody would invent a real-for-sure lice killer. I don't want anything to do with any quack stuff.—Farm Life.

Natural Mouse Trap.

In the East Indies there grows a plant that eats mice! This plant has a very strong sweet odor which attracts mice and moles to it. The little animals, attracted by the strong scent, run up the stalk of the plant right into the flower, from which there is no escape, as they are caught in a sticky substance, and are kept from backing out by down-pointing bristles which close around their victim.

Digestive juices, like those found in the stomachs of animals, exude and the rodent is slowly consumed. It is rumored that this flesh-eating plant may be put to use as a mouse trap, as it has an irresistible attraction for rodents.

Seller Takes No Chances.

A guest at an upstate hotel recently, making a purchase at the cigar stand, noticed that the clerk before ringing up the cash register laid the bill on the keys of the machine, says the New York Sun. Then he pressed the correct button, made the change, handed it to the customer, and only then placed the bill in the proper compartment of the open drawer.

"I did it to avoid disputes and mistakes," he said. "As long as the money is still lying on top of the keys there's no chance of my giving the customer short change by mistake nor of his disputing the change he receives and perhaps putting one over on me."

History Continues.

There are, of course, no beginnings or ends in history. We may walk for a few miles by the side of a river, noting its shadows and its rapids, the gorges which confine it and the plains through which it meanders; but we know that we have seen neither the beginning nor the end of its course, that the whole river has an unbroken continuity, and that sections, whether of space or time, are purely arbitrary. We are always sowing our future; we are always reaping our past.—Dean W. R. Inge, in "Outspoken Essays."

Can't Afford It.

Mrs. A.—Do you go out much?

Mrs. B.—No, very little. You see, we pay such high rent for this apartment, we have to stay in to get the worth of our money.—Boston Evening Transcript.

Safety.

"They tell me that Crimson Gulch is to have a safety week."

"Yep," replied Cactus Joe. "The only difficulty is that some of the boys still insist that the best chance for safety is to shoot first."

A Cheap Bank

An Englishman walked into a Berlin bank, laid down a golden sovereign and asked: "How much can I get for this?"

MANNERS AND THE 'PHONE

According to This Writer, the Instrument Is Responsible for a Number of Delinquencies.

J. M. Keyes opened a topic of wide interest when he proposed a code of telephone manners.

This is nothing less than a yearning for perfection. It cannot be achieved, and before telephone manners in their present state are condemned it is best to consider social advantages which the telephone offers.

The invitation nuisance which stirs Mr. Keyes to the depths of his being is not so unbearable as the nuisance who brings his invitations with him and sits down to argue with you about it. The one who wants to know why you cannot come when you tell him that you cannot is very difficult to get rid of. On the other hand, it is exceedingly easy to say: "Well, good by," and hang up at the first opportune pause. Moreover, the telephone is a great encourager of those who are timid in their lying. One can look into the little black hole where the transmitter is and tell any sort of whopper, when the words would die on his lips if he were faced by an inquisitor. Furthermore, a man who is well and hearty can safely say that he is suffering agonies with headache when the other party to the conversation cannot see him.

As for the difficulty of thinking up the proper fib for each occasion which afflicts, that is nothing at all in the life of the expert telephone liar. He has a list of them for unexpected invitations and they are as handy as canned sardines for the unexpected guest.—Detroit Free Press.

FIRST OF GREAT SEAMEN

Vikings May Be Said to Have Possessed Truly Uncanny Knowledge of the Ocean.

The Vikings were not only great warriors, but they were equally distinguished as maritime explorers. "They were so vigorous in their activities, so dauntless and daring, such genuinely strenuous shipmen, that they were bound to do great things, or fail where none could have succeeded," said E. Keble Chatterton, in "Ships and Ways of Other Days." And Doctor Nansen reminds one that "they had neither compass nor astronomical instruments, nor any appliances of our time for finding their position at sea; they could only sail by the sun, moon and stars and it seems incomprehensible how for days and weeks, when these were invisible, they were able to find their course through fog and bad weather. But they found it, and the open craft of the Norwegian Vikings, with their square sails, fared north and west over the whole ocean. It was not till 500 years later that the ships of other nations were to make their way to the same regions."

Milton Writing Lycidas.

Lycidas came to Milton's imagination or at least to paper, in a very perfect form. He writes the first 14 lines, and then tries the flower passage, which was evidently haunting his thought. He sets it down once, crosses it all out, and then begins over again. Line 146 was nearer inspiration as first written: "The muske rose and the garish columbine"; but perhaps it does not express his feelings for the flower, or it did not sound appropriate to have so gaudy a flower about the dead. Ruskin calls 148 "mixed fancy and imagination"; the first version, "every lud that sorrows liverie weares," is also mixed, but perhaps less objectionable than the form we are familiar with. After the flower passage is to his mind, he takes a fresh sheet, and commencing a poem once more, writes to the end with very little recasting, except at 58-62, which he thrice revises. Save for these two difficult parts, Milton seems to have written Lycidas with little premeditation, and hence with ease.—Laura E. Lockwood, in "Modern Language Notes."

Palms Two Centuries Old.

Set out by the Jesuit missionaries in 1720, thousands of date palms in Lower California are still producing quantities of high-class fruit, approximately 2¼ million pounds being shipped to all parts of Mexico each year. Small groves of date palms may also be found in many communities of the state of Sonora, where water is available, at Hiamas there being an old date palm tree that has produced as high as 1,000 pounds of dates in one season.

Most of the Mexican date crops are handled by Chinese merchants and the bulk is shipped to points in Sonora and Sinaloa.

A Windmill Home.

A century-old windmill of the kind commonly seen in European countries, having four large sweeps, or sails, and an outside covering of shingles, has been remodeled into a three-story house at Lonstrup, Jutland, in Denmark. After the huge grinding stones and shafts were removed from the interior, the three floors were divided into comfortable rooms, having dormer-type windows. Nine persons are accommodated in the rebuilt structure, from which a beautiful view is to be seen.—Popular Mechanics Magazine.

Doesn't Always Work

Blackstone.—By memorizing a man's idiosyncrasies I can usually tell in advance how he will act when called upon.

Webster.—Ever try that system on a horse race?—New York Sun.

Worse.

First Spinster.—Didn't it worry you when you were approaching thirty?

Second Spinster.—Yes, but it worried me still more when I began fading away from it.

"Hey!" cried the manager, addressing his staff, "clear out, the lot of you! This fellow's bought the show!"

BRINGING UP FATHER

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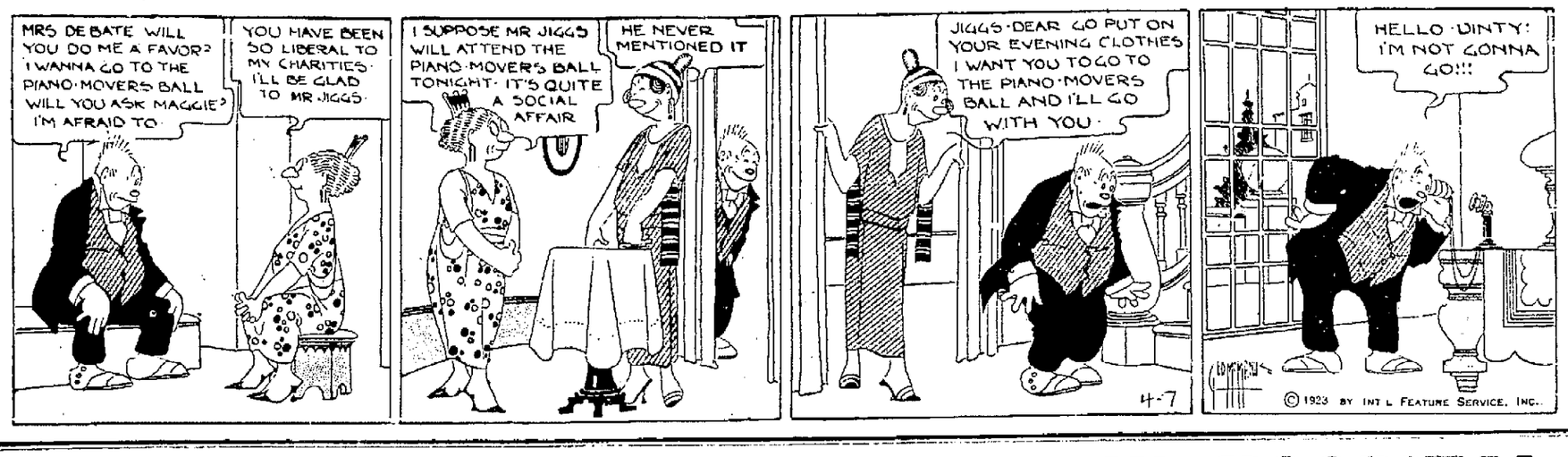

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BOY STRUCK BY TRUCK DIES IN HOSPITAL

Driver Is Exonerated By Witnesses Of Accident

A multiple fracture of the skull suffered by Ralph Tharp, four year old son of Mrs. Laura Tharp, 3051 Rhodes avenue, East Portsmouth, about four o'clock Friday afternoon, when struck and knocked down by an automobile in front of his home, resulted in his death at Hempstead hospital about three hours later. The child never regained consciousness. An X-ray showed that an operation would be of no avail, the fracture on the left side of the head above the temple, being of such a nature that nothing could be done to prolong or save the life.

Coroner Virgil Fowler after talking to eye witnesses of the accident, rendered a verdict of "accidental death," which practically exonerates Russell Michael, Scioto ville, driver of the machine which struck the child.

Ralph was playing in front of his home when a playmate on the south side of the street, called to him to come over to that side as he had a penny and they would get some candy. Obeying the childish impulse, the little tot started across the street. According to women who saw the accident, he darted out from between two automobiles and started across the street, directly in the path of the truck. He had waited until a street car passed, but failed to see the truck which was following the car.

The child had just crossed the south rail of the street car track when struck by the machine. The little body was rolled underneath the car for a short distance, Michael stopping the car within a few feet of the spot where he struck the boy.

According to Michael he had the machine in low gear as he was following an east bound street car. Neighbor women tell the same story.

The driver of the truck jumped from his truck and ran to the body in the street. Mrs. Tillie Kemp, 3031 Rhodes avenue, Mrs. Margaret Wiseman 3029 Rhodes avenue, and Arthur Udd, 3033 Rhodes avenue, who were in front of their home and saw the accident, also rushed to the boy's side. Heid picked the boy up and carried him to the porch of the Kemp home, from where he was taken to Hempstead hospital. Dr. A. B. Mills was called to attend the child.

George Diehart, 3058 Rhodes avenue, and George Gregory, 2919 Rhodes avenue, were also eye-witnesses to the fatal accident.

Mrs. Kemp's Story

According to Mrs. Kemp, her attention was attracted to a broken bottle in the street, as she was talking to Mrs. Wiseman, her sister-in-law. She remarked to Mrs. Wiseman that she would pick the bottle up before a tire was cut on it, or a child picked it up and was cut, and started out into the street.

As she got out in the street, she she saw the boy struck by the machine and fall back on to the street. Mrs. Kemp says that she does not believe the driver was going fast. The little fellow was playing about the neighborhood yesterday, and he was exceedingly well liked by the children and grown-ups, as well.

Other eye witnesses substantiate Mrs. Kemp's story of the accident, stating that the boy, apparently entirely unaware of the approaching machine, ran out in front of the car.

Ralph was the son of Mrs. Laura Tharp, who lives with her two brothers, William and Isaac, at 3051 Rhodes avenue. The family came to East Portsmouth several years ago from Kentucky.

Mrs. Tharp, after the accident, was prostrate with grief, and was unable to talk of the accident. She went to the hospital, however, and was with her son when he died.

The driver, Russell Michael, and R. S. Prichard, who is his employer, went to the police station last night and reported the accident to the police, giving the names of witnesses to the sergeant on duty.

Michael is a carpenter by trade, and is employed by Mr. Prichard to look after his property. He was on his way to a store in New Boston when the accident occurred. He drives an Elco car which had been converted into a truck.

The body was taken to the Windel Funeral Home, where it was prepared for burial last night.

The body was taken to the home on Rhodes avenue, today, and funeral services will be held Monday.

Fourth Victim In Small Zone

With the death of little Ralph Tharp, four year old son of Mrs. Laura Tharp, yesterday afternoon, after he had been struck by an automobile in front of his home, 3051 Rhodes avenue, the death toll by auto accidents on this street, within the past two months has reached four.

Mrs. Martha Weaver was knocked down and killed almost in front of her home, 3955 Rhodes Avenue. A reward was offered for the arrest and conviction of the driver of the death car, but a diligent investigation by county and city officials and the New Boston police was fruitless.

Little Johnny Ball was run down and killed in front of the home where he was visiting about a block from the scene of the Weaver accident.

Ed Semenes was instantly killed when he drove his car into a street car on Rhodes, within a block of the scene of the fatal accident last night.

Was In Ashland

Phil Wolff has returned from a business trip to Ashland, Ky., where he has a branch store.

Conference Closes; Is Success

With a well attended session the Young People's conference of the First Presbyterian church this city came to a close this morning with Rev. Eugene W. Pocock of Columbus delivering an interesting address.

The conference opened yesterday afternoon and at the banquet held at 5:30 o'clock 87 young people were present.

Mrs. T. M. Patterson, of Ripley, wife of the pastor of the First Presbyterian Church of that place, was the toastmistress and representatives of each society in the conference made short talks.

Mrs. O. J. Deitzler sang for the delegates.

At the evening session Rev. Eugene W. Pocock, of Columbus, was the principal speaker. Rev. Pocock spoke on the call of the church to young people, and the need of active youthful leaders in each church and community.

Mrs. E. E. Fife, missionary from Mussoorie, India, also spoke at the evening service, which was open to the public and was well attended.

Mrs. W. J. Baker led the song service, and Mrs. Mae Lynn sang a special selection.

In the afternoon Mrs. Richard Tremper delivered the address of welcome, and Mrs. James W. Morgan, of Jackson, President of the Presbyterial Missionary organization, spoke on "Why and Wherefor."

Mrs. J. C. Rivera, Presbyterian missionary at Ellis Island, and Mrs. C. B. Wingerd, Synodical Westminster Guild worker, also spoke.

Rev. Hugh Ivan Evans, pastor of the Second Presbyterian Church, lead the devotional exercises.

The conference will close this morning, with a round-table discussion, and an address by Rev. Pocock.

Ministers To Speak On Hospital Drive

Tomorrow will be Greater Hempstead Hospital day in the churches of Portsmouth and vicinity.

The pastors will speak briefly on the Greater Hempstead Hospital drive to be held April 12-20.

The goal of the campaign is $100,000, which sum will be used to revamp Hempstead hospital.

Mid-Year Baptist Meeting Closes

The mid-year meeting of the Portsmouth Baptist Association held at the Berean Baptist church, Scioto ville, Thursday and Friday, came to a close Friday night when the session was given over to Rev. Miss Edna Malcolm, assistant pastor of the First Baptist church, Portsmouth, who took for her theme, "Walking All the Way With God."

Special music was rendered by the Berean Baptist Quartet. The devotionals were in charge of Rev. L. N. Kayser of Calvary Baptist church, Portsmouth.

The annual meeting of the Association will be held at the First Baptist church early in September. At that meeting officers are elected and places set for the 1924 mid-year session and annual meeting.

This mid-year meeting was one of the most successful ever held by the Portsmouth Association. The attendance was good and much interest was manifested in the work of the Conference.

Colored Quartet To Sing At First Baptist

On Lord's day, April 8th, through the courtesy of Wm. Haley, the First Baptist school will be favored with a colored quartet at the opening of the school at 9 a. m. Those who were present on March 18th will need no further urging.

SUNDAY TO BE BIG DAY AT U. B. CHURCH

Final plans for the "entirely different" session of the United Brethren Sunday School are complete and the Ruth Sisters, in whose hands the program has been placed, say that those who attend will be loud in their praises of the special features to be rendered. Among the features will be a half hour praise service in song. This service begins promptly at nine when the splendid school orchestra begins the strains of "America the Beautiful." The song service will be in charge of Mrs. E. H. Dailey. Solos, duets and a special number by Mary Agnes and John, sweet little children of Rev. and Mrs. Dailey are also being planned for in the half hour of song.

A special treat is also going to be introduced during the lesson study hour that will be kept a secret until tomorrow morning.

After the lesson study the Ruth Sisters will turn the school back to Superintendent Marion Prosch and Chorister Floyd Smith, who will conduct the closing exercises.

The Intermediate Department scholars will please note that they are to assemble in the balcony of the main auditorium; the children's department will gather in the Sunday school room and the adults in the main auditorium of the church, thus bringing the entire school together for opening exercises.

"THE FLIRT"

Also interesting picture of Proposed Greater Hempstead Hospital. At Eastland Theatre Tonight. —Advertisement 4-3t

SOCIETY

One of the most beautiful social functions of the post-Easter season was the charming tea given Friday afternoon by Mrs. Harry Revare. Miss Alma Heinisch and Miss Madeline Revare at the handsome home of Mrs. Revare, 1635 Fifth street.

The affair was given for the pleasure of Miss Elaine Johnston, of Oklahoma City, Okla., who is the house guest of Miss Madeline Revare and Miss Helen Dowling, bride-elect of Mr. Howard Baughman.

The rooms thrown open for this delightful occasion were fragrant with bright spring flowers and the fifty guests passed the hours with social conversation, after which a delicious refreshment course was served. The table was attractively appointed for the occasion with handsome silver and lighted tapers and centered with a large bowl of orange calendules. The three hostesses were assisted in extending the courtesies of the afternoon by Mrs. Albert Marting, who presided at the punch bowl in the front parlor, Mrs. C. E. Dowling, Mrs. Clinton M. Searl, Mrs. Rea Selby, Mrs. Russell Becker, Mrs. David D. Mitchell, Misses Lena Hauck and Doris Moore.

The Rev. Charles E. Severinghaus, pastor of Franklin Avenue M. E. Church, will conduct religious services at the Home for Aged Women Sunday afternoon at three o'clock. The services will be one half hour later than usual, and those who are planning to attend are asked to govern themselves accordingly.

Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Nauman of Charleston, W. Va., arrived this afternoon for a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Smith of 2916 Walnut street.

An interesting session of the Woman's Literary Club was held Friday afternoon at the hospitable home of Mrs. L. D. Allard, Eighth and Gay streets, with a large attendance of members present. As this was guest day, there were also quite a number of visitors present to enjoy the delightful musical and literary program arranged for the occasion.

During the business session the president, Mrs. W. A. Quinn, and the secretary, Mrs. E. E. Seig, were appointed as delegates to attend the meeting of the State Federation of Clubs to be held in Steubenville in May. The program included several very important papers. The first of these was an excellent paper on "Problems of the Juvenile Age," prepared and read by Mrs. Nunlee Snow. The second was a short, instructive paper on "American Inventions." Miss Kate Vigus read a deferred paper on "Plans to Link Four National Highways," which was very interesting and timely, especially to automobile tourists. Mrs. Leonore Allard McCabe, talented daughter of the hostess, who recently returned from Chicago to make this city her future home, rendered two very delightful piano solos, which were very much enjoyed. Mrs. Ralph Proctor, who recently located in this city, was also a welcome guest at the meeting.

At the close of the afternoon Mrs. Allard, assisted by Mrs. McCabe and Mrs. Proctor, served delicious punch and wafers.

The next meeting will be held at the Home for Aged Women, in two weeks.

W. A. Smith and son Billie of Columbus are expected here tonight for a short visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Smith, of 2916 Walnut street.

Miss Dorothy Smith of 1401 Seventeenth street is spending the spring vacation at the home of the Misses Helen and Lillian Cullihan in Ironton.

Mrs. C. V. Perdue of Fifth Street, is in Ironton, visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Hartman.

Miss Stella McCall, of Highland Avenue, will return tomorrow from a week's visit with her brother, Orville McCall at Pikeville, Ky.

Mrs. B. J. Dudgeon and daughter, Miss Alice of Fifth Street, are visiting in Cincinnati this week.

Miss Helen Matthews, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Matthews of "Three Oaks," Rose Ridge, recently took the leading soprano role in "Pie Night", a play written by a graduate and senior of Oberlin College for production by the senior class. Miss Matthews, a gifted young soprano, was wonderfully successful in her role, and played before an audience of 2500 at the college auditorium.

REPORTER FOUND DEAD

ALLIANCE, O., April 7—L. M. Stanley, for nearly twenty years reporter on the Review, was found dead in bed this afternoon at his home in Damascus. It is believed his death occurred some time during the night.

In The District Court of the United States for the Southern District of Ohio, Western Division
In Re: Orla B. Oakes, Bankrupt
No. 675 In Bankruptcy

Pursuant to an order of court, I will offer at private sale, under sealed bids at the office of P. C. Booth, Referee in Bankruptcy, Hayward Building, Ironton, Ohio, on the 9th day of April, 1923 between the hours of 9 o'clock A. M. and 4 o'clock P. M. of said day, and if not sold, continue to offer the same from day to day at the same place between the same hours and upon the same terms for cash to the highest bidder, until sold according to law or the approval of the court, the household goods, furniture, books, pictures and library and books of accounts of the face value of $296.75 of the personal property of said bankrupt.

Also lot No. 276 of the Scioto Addition to the City of Portsmouth, Ohio, noted in petition in bankruptcy as Lot No. XIII.

Consult the undersigned in regard to terms of sale, description of property, etc.

LUTHER A. THOMPSON, Trustee

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What's Going

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interests in every important country out this one, exists to gobble up the whole world's oil supply, exhaust America's, and then lay the United States under tribute for every gallon she has to have in future.

Now, only a few days later, comes England's announcement that he government was mistaken awhile ago when it declared everybody but Britons barred from looking for oil in Burma, which is supposed to be very rich in such deposits.

It seems England laid claim to a Burma monopoly under an arrangement said to have been made by Queen Victoria and Lord Salisbury, in the days when he was her prime minister. But the latest statement is to the effect that the queen's and his lordship's signatures to the papers this claim is based on, are found to be bogus. So if Americans want to hunt oil in Burma, they're welcome to, so far as England's concerned.

In some quarters there's a disposition to question whether this discovery ever would have been made but for Secretary Fall's accusation.

Fresh Turkish Tangle

THERE are prospects of another oil controversy in Asiatic Turkey.

In 1909 an American syndicate, headed by Colby M. Chester, a retired admiral, got a concession from the then sultan covering what's supposed to be a very rich oil district around Lake Van.

Before this syndicate got to work the war started. Nothing could be done while it lasted. Then the old imperial Turkish government was overthrown. The new regime repudiated a good many of the old one's acts, but the news comes now that the Angora council of ministers has decided the Chester concession is all right. The Turkish parliament seems likely to concur.

The British thought they had an oil monopoly in Asiatic Turkey and they're almost certain to be more than disappointed if they learn they haven't. In this dispute with the British it's a good guess that Americans will take the Turkish side.

No American League

NORTH AMERICANS at the Pan American conference at Santiago, Chile, made a good start by opposing Uruguay's proposed league of American nations.

There wasn't a chance of the scheme's indorsement by the more important South American countries and before any of them except Chile had had time to say so, Chairman Fletcher of the North American group declared his country unfavorable to leagues, thus forestalling, at least one one ground, the frequently made South American complaint that the United States seeks to dominate the New World.

Pan American arms limitation looks difficult.

Chile wants reduction, Argentina the status quo, Brazil army and navy increases. These are the three big Latin American countries—the A. B. C. group. If they can't agree, the rest can't.

The United States, having loaned experts to build up Brazil's navy, isn't in a position to urge limitation.

U. S. Toasted Brown

FOR perhaps the most pungent criticism ever published of this country's methods in South America, the medal goes to Vice President H. C. Zwetsch of the bond house of A. B. Leach and Co., who, just back from a tour of Argentina, Brazil, Chile, Uruguay, Paraguay, Bolivia, Peru and Ecuador, gave out an interview in which, among other things, he said:

"To South America the Yankee peril looms far more deadly than the Japanese ever did to California.

"South America never has had confidence in us, nor reason to have.

"We've tried to make South Americans into our pattern, not adapted ours to suit them.

"When our Federal Reserve bank rate was 6 per cent, England was loaning to South American merchants at 2½.

"Instead of fostering South American militarism (a reference to the loan of United States naval experts to Brazil) it would pay us to help finance and industry.

"North Americans chambers of commerce in South America are mismanaged and inefficient.

"The English and Italians send their best men to South America; we haven't sent that kind.

"There are exceptions; firms which have sent good men and handled their business with sense have profited."

WEALTHY MAN ARRESTED.

TIFFIN, O., April 7—Victor O. Miller, 62, wealthy retired farmer of this city, was arrested late today on an affidavit sworn to by two small girls who charged attempted assault. Miller entered a plea of guilty before Mayor Unger and was held to the grand jury.

U. S. Opposed

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opinion. With both Democrats and Republican spokesmen of such prominence against the idea, the suggestion of another international naval conference with that proposal as a basis does not meet with favor here. When the Washington conference was in session to limit naval armament, it was considered impracticable to discuss the scrapping of all navies because the principal nations which had navies to scrap would not agree to any such discussion, as all felt committed to the theory of a defensive fleet. The time would not be ripe for an abandonment of all naval armament with no police force in its stead for the protection of each country.

On its face, the statement of Gustav de Kergnezec is in line with the clamorings of pacifist opinion, which believes in abolishing all weapons as a certain insurance against war but the distinguished Frenchman is not a member of that school of thought and is believed to be interested only in the scrapping of the big navies, namely those of the United States and Great Britain, principally the latter's because of the state of Franco-British relations, and suggestions in its place a new ratio and an international police force. The crux of his argument is contained in the following paragraph:

"If the allies will follow a proposal for general disarmament of all the world's fleets and replace them with an international one, we shall be the first to agree to let the United States furnish to this international fleet ten ships, England ten, France six and Italy six. Then the world will have peace and not until then—let us create while there is time, a real league of nations. The present one is useless because it is unarmed. Arm a new one and it can command peace."

When Woodrow Wilson first broached the idea of a league of nations at the Paris conference, the French insisted that if it would be operated with an international army and navy, they would favor it. This was a super government in which they believed, but the American delegation argued that American opinion would not sustain any such proposal as it would involve a conflict with the constitution of the United States which vests in the congress the sole right to authorize the use of America's armed forces. Both M. Clemenceau and Marshal Foch contended however, that during the war the United States had placed its armies under the supreme command of a French general and its navy under a British admiral so that in principle, the United States had yielded its sovereignty and a precedent established to all of which however, the answer was made that what had been sanctioned in an emergency could not be taken as an index of what congress would approve as a permanent policy.

Since that time the quarrel between the Wilson viewpoint on the league of nations and its opponents in America has resolved itself into a question of whether the United States is committed even by moral obligation to the ultimate use of armed force with Republicans claiming it does and Democrats denying any such implication. The chances of the unambiguous proposal of the Senator De Kergnezec which flatly calls for an international navy to guarantee the peace of the world and particularly the provisions of Versailles treaty may readily be dismissed as improbable and the incident only strengthens the conviction of American officials that French statesmen have not yet grasped the true significance of the reaction that has developed in this country toward the use of armed forces as a police force over seas.

To Clean Up Restaurants

MORGANTOWN, W. Va.—The city health department has decided to enforce drastic regulations providing for sanitation about restaurants.

CONTINUANCES GRANTED.

CINCINNATI, O., April 7—Andrew Moore and Roy Hedges, Newtown prohibition agents, charged with blackmailing Harry Bowman, saloonkeeper here, were granted continuances until Monday, when arraigned in police court today. Judge George E. Eyrich set bonds $2500 each.

BACKS WATERWAY PLAN.

COLUMBUS, O., April 7—The Senate today agreed to appropriate $20,000 for the promotion of the St. Lawrence Waterway project. The joint resolution provides for the appointment of a commission of five members to cooperate with other states in urging establishment of the waterway.

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I Read Your Ads.

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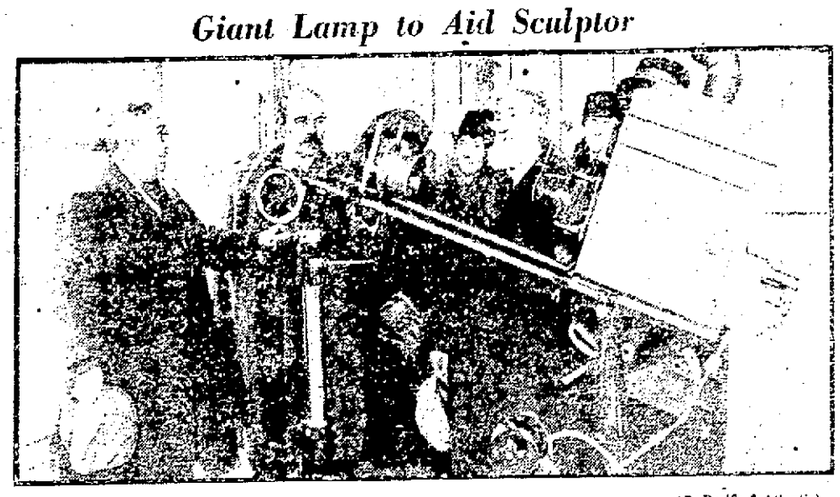
LAST MINUTE PHOTOS WHO'S WHO WHAT'S WHAT IN THE NEWS

Giant Lamp to Aid Sculptor



(By Pacific & Atlantic)

This giant projecting lamp, built by Edward Porter of New York (left), will be used by Gutzon Borglum (center), the sculptor, in carving Confederate Memorial on Stone Mountain. Hudson Maxim, inventor, is at right.

Noted Spiritist Returns

Accompanied by J. Malcolm Bird, American investigator of psychic phenomena, Sir Arthur Conan Doyle (right) arrived in New York on the Olympic to explain further his views on spirit world.

Air Mail Service Has Won Many Trophies

Pilots in the service of Uncle Sam's air mail fleet have won their share of trophies, although they have been flying for a comparatively short time. Here is Second Assistant Postmaster General Henderson looking at cups.

Army Fliers Complete 5,400-Mile Flight

At Bolling Field, Washington, D. C., Government officials and army officers welcomed return of six army planes from reliability flight to West Indies. The planes met with no accident and arrived on scheduled time.

Tamed by Pangs of Hunger

Driven to the very doorsteps of a home because the unusually severe winter in Yellowstone National Park made it almost impossible for it to get food, this deer got right up on its hind legs to accept the little boy's offering, as this unusual photo shows.

Married

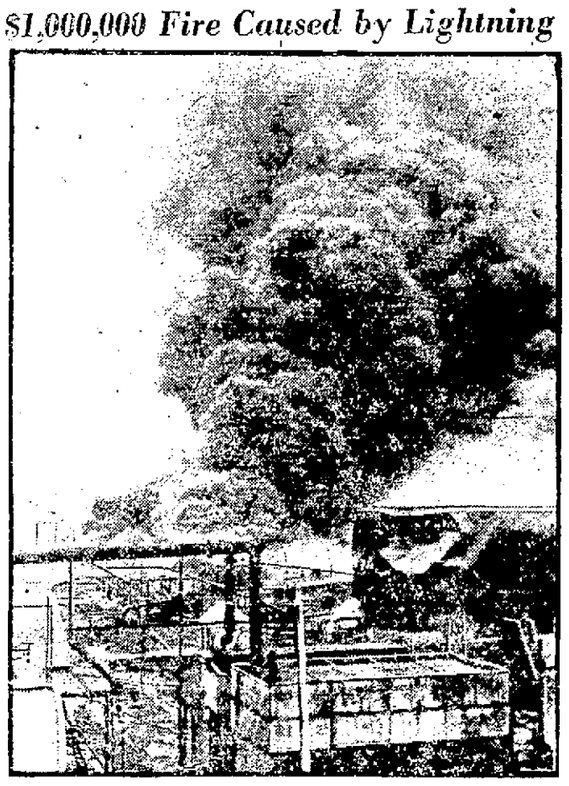
Through a queer trick of fate and a peculiar twist of the law, it has cost Viscountess Northcliffe, widow of the famous publisher, her share in her late husband's $25,000,000 estate to carry out his dying request—that she marry his best friend, Sir Robert Hudson.

Benevolent!

(By Pacific & Atlantic)

"One in a million," said T. L. Post of wife (above), who offered to rear Mary Brand's child, of whom Mr. Post is alleged father. All live in Chicago.

$1,000,000 Fire Caused by Lightning



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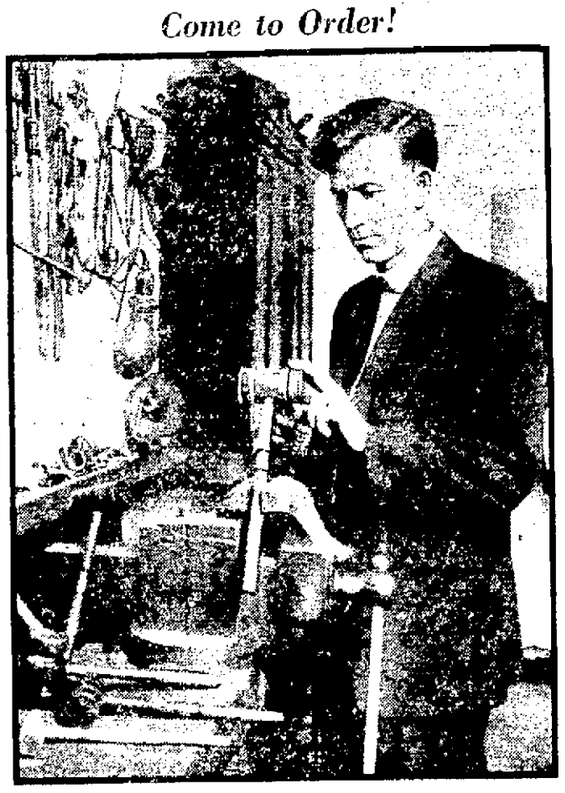
When lightning struck one of six oil tanks at Sinclair Refining plant, near New Orleans, resultant fire caused $1,000,000 loss.

Come to Order!



And bang! goes the gavel. Result—more work for A. E. Holmes, official gavelmaker for Congress. He figures the next session will use up 200 of 'em.

Father Accused Adopted Son

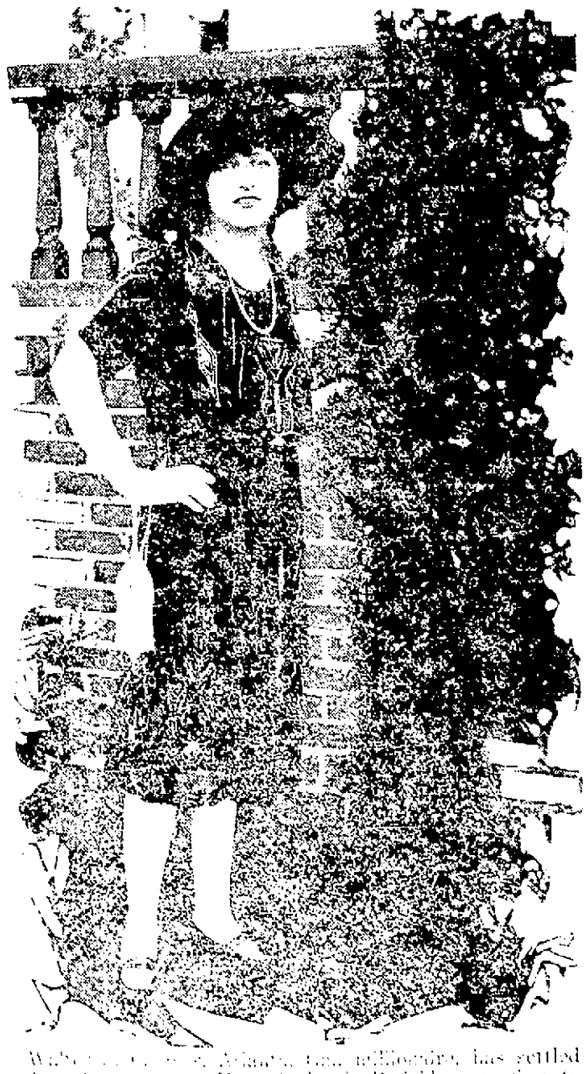
One of the strangest divorce cases to be tried in New York court occurred when Dr. J. P. Cole, wealthy dentist, charged wife with having intimate relations with adopted son, John W. Cole, seventeen (both shown above).

Royal Family Greeted at Christening

(By Pacific & Atlantic)

Admiring throngs lined London streets as infant son of Princess Mary was taken to christening ceremony. King and Princess Mary are shown leading procession.

Ocean Kiss Suit Settled



[illegible] millionaire, has settled for [illegible] Mrs. [illegible] Rydold, according to [illegible] made by Mrs. Rydold [illegible] and attempted to kiss [illegible].

Courtot Courted and Won

(By Pacific & Atlantic)

A real stage romance resulted in the wedding of Marguerite Courtot, actress, to her leading man, Raymond McKee, at Little Church Around the Corner, New York. They have known each other from childhood.

Honored by King of Italy

For protecting visiting Italian noblemen, District Attorney Banton of New York (left) received a medal from the King of Italy. He is shown being congratulated by his secretary.

Gould Heirs in Fight

Gould heirs in New York took court action to bar children of Mrs. Guinevere Sinclair (Mrs. George J.) Gould from sharing in late Jay Gould's estate. Above are two of the children, George (at wheel), Jane (next) and a friend.

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Goldie Hudson In Wreck; Faces Charge Of Driving Machine While Intoxicated

Goldie Hudson, well known North End damsel, arrested last night by county officers for driving an automobile while intoxicated, and later released on bond, was unable to appear for trial Saturday morning and after a physician's certificate had been produced stating that the accused was unable to come into court, Squire George S. Morgan continued the case and set the hearing for next Tuesday.

The arrest of the woman came as the result of an investigation of an automobile accident which occurred about five o'clock yesterday afternoon when the machine she was driving plunged off the towpath road, near the Rushtown Baptist church, and crashed into a ditch, turning over. The Hudson woman was slightly hurt about the head but her two companions, giving the names of Hazel McKenzie and Russell Heid, were uninjurt. The machine was considerably damaged and it was towed to the city by garage men.

The Hudson woman came into the limelight a few weeks ago by a tragedy which occurred at her home, 1113 Thirteenth street when she shot her sweetheart, Thomas Cole, in the head, inflicting a wound which caused his death. She is now under bond pending grand jury action on a charge of manslaughter.

Eagles Put On "Real" Minstrel

The impromptu minstrel staged Friday night by River City Aerie of Eagles in the Nest at Second and Court streets, was a huge success, and the entertainment was immensely enjoyed by the more than three hundred persons present, including members and their families.

Two clever readings were given by Miss Jeannette Gill before the minstrel performance started.

Si Straus acted as interlocutor and the string of answers to the questions which he fired at the end men, caused no end of laughter. The end men comedians were William Maze, George Fochr, Oscar Frank, Jasper Sheppard, Ernest Carter and Frank Ray. Soloists were Chester Riggles, J. H. Gill, Leo Kricker and Edmund Kricker.

One of the features of the program was the music furnished by the "Kitchen Cabinet Orchestra" led by Dr. O. D. Tatje who was "all dolled up" as John Philip Sousa." Dr. Tatje proved a good impersonator and he added much to the entertainment. His band included a "conglomeration" of musicians whose melody was a treat to jaded ears. They were the Kricker Trio, Charles Wells, Clarence Weber, Walter Miller and John McDaniels.

"A few Minutes in Cuba," was the title of a rollicking musical sketch offered by Clyde Grady and John Duffy.

Specialties included a slide trombone solo executed by Leo Kricker and clog dancing by Jasper Sheppard.

At the close of the entertainment which was one of the most successful which the Aerie has given in many months, all present were served refreshments. The evening was brought to an enjoyable conclusion by dancing which lasted until a late hour.

Market News

New York Stocks

NEW YORK, April 7—Week end profit taking and short selling in some of the recent speculative favorites combined with a resumption of operations for the rise in other quarters, imparted an irregular trend to opening prices in tody's stock market. Sugars continued their advance to higher ground under the leadership of Punta Alegre and Cuban American. Studebaker and Martin Perry led the advance in automotive shares. Virginia-Carolina Chemical was again reactionary. Initial changes for the most part was limited to small fractions.

Price fluctuations continued narrow and irregular during the early trading. Wisconsin Central advanced a point and St. Paul preferred and Chicago and Northwestern improved fractionally but Norfolk and Western was heavy. Atlantic Gulf also advanced a point. Losses of a point each were registered by Virginia-Carolina Chemical class B, Davison Chemical and Iron Products. Kresge which advanced 2½ points yesterday fell back ½ today. Sinclair and the Pan-American issues also yielded fractionally. Foreign exchanges opened steady. Demand sterling was unchanged at 4:66½ and French francs advanced 1 point to 6.61 cents.

New York Stocks Closing Prices

American Can 97 3-4
American Car & Foundry 179-B.
American Locomotive 135 3-4
American Smelting & Refg. 61 1-4
American Sugar 80
American T. & T. 122 1-8
American Woolen, 103 1-4
Anaconda Copper 50
Atchison 101 3-4
Atl., Gulf & W. Indies 27 1-2
Baldwin Locomotive 140
Baltimore & Ohio 51 1-8
Bethlehem Steel "B" 65 3-4
Central Leather 35
Chandler Motors 71
Chesapeake & Ohio 69 3-4
Chicago, Mil. and St. Paul 23
Chicago, R. I. & Pac. 32 7-8
Chicago & N. W. 81 5-8
Corn Products 128 1-8
Crucible Steel 80
Famous Players-Lasky 89 1-4
General Asphalt 50 1-2
General Motors 14 7-8
Illinois Central 113-B
Int. Mer. Marine pfd 40
Kelly-Springfield Tire 58 1-2
Mexican Petroleum 260-B
Midvale Steel 32 1-4
New York Central 74
Northern Pacific 75
Pan American Petroleum 74
Pennsylvania 45 5-8
People's Gas 89 1-2 B
Pure Oil 28 1-4
Reading 76 1-2
Rep. Iron & Steel 62 3-8
Royal Dutch, N. Y. 52 1-8
Sinclair Oil 37 1-2
Southern Pacific 91
Standard Oil of N. J. 40 1-4
Studebaker Corporation 124 1-4
Texas Co. 50 5-8
Tobacco Products 83 1-2
Union Pacific 137 1-8
United States Rubber 61
United States Steel 106 7-8
Utah Copper 71 1-2
Willys Overland 8 1-8
Goodrich 38 3-8
N. & W. 110 1-4

CLOSING PRICES OHIO STOCK

COLUMBUS, O., April 7—(Closing) Cities service, common, 175 @ 177; do preferred, 69 1-4 @ 69 3-4. Pure Oil 28 1-4.

CINCINNATI GRAIN

CINCINNATI, O., April 7—Wheat 138 1-2 @ 139 1-2.
Corn 82 1-2 @ 83.
Oats, steadier, 49 1-2 @ 50 1-2.
Rye, steady, 84 @ 85.
Hay, 1450 @ 20.50.
Potatoes: Cobblers, 2.00 @ 2.10 per sack 150 pounds; Red River early Ohios 1.75 @ 2.25 per sack 120 pounds; Mich., 2.25 per sack 150 pounds; Home grown, 1.85 @ 2.95 per barrel.

CHICAGO GRAIN REVIEW.

CHICAGO, April 7 — (Close)—Wheat: May 1.23; July 1.20 1-2; Sept. 1.18 7-8.
Corn: May 77 1-8; July 79 3-4; September 80 1-8.
Oats: May 45 7-8; July 45 7-8; Sept. 45.
Lard: May 11.42; July 11.62.
Ribs: May 11.42; July 11.45.

CINCINNATI LIVESTOCK

CINCINNATI, O., April 7—Hogs: Receipts 2,00; steady to 5 @ 10c lower; heavies, 8.25 @ 8.75; packers and butchers, 8.85 @ 8.90; medium, 8.85 @ 8.90; stags, 4 @ 5; heavy fat cows, 6 @ 7; light shippers, 8.50; pigs, 110 pounds and less, 6 @ 7.25.
Cattle: Receipts 75; steady; steers good to choice, 7.50 @ 9.00; fair to good, 6.50 @ 7.50; common to fair, 4.50 @ 6.50; heifers, good to choice, 7.50 @ 9.00; fair to good, 6.50 @ 7.50; common to fair, 4.00 @ 6.50; cows, good choice to fair, 6.00 @ 6.50; fair to good, 4.00 @ 5.00; cutters, 3.00 @ 3.75.
Calves, dull; 50c lower. Good to choice, 8.50 @ 11.50; fair to good, 7.00 @ 8.50; common and large, 3.00 @ 6.50.
Sheep: Receipts 200; steady. Good to choice, 5.00 @ 6.50; fair to good, 3.00 @ 5.00; common 2.00 @ 2.25; bucks, 3.00 @ 4.50; sheared 1.50 @ 4.00.
Lambs, steady; good to choice, 15.00 @ 15.25; fair to good, 12.00 @ 15.00; seconds, 11.00 @ 12.00; common, 7.00 @ 8.00; sheared 5.00 @ 12.00; spring 15.00 @ 20.00.

Produce Market

CLEVELAND, April 7—Butter extras in tubs 53½@54; one pound prints 54½@55; extra firsts 52½@53; firsts 51½@52.
Poultry, live fowls 27@28.

CICINNATI PRODUCE

CINCINNATI, O., April 7—Produce market unchanged.

SUGAR

NEW YORK, April 7—Raw sugar market, firm unchanged at 5 11-16 for Cuba's cost and freight, equal to 747 for centrifugal. Raw sugar futures, unchanged to 2 points lower on active positions. Refined, firmer and unchanged.

NEW YORK, April 7—Sugar futures closed steady; approximate sales, 12,000 tons; May, 576; July, 597; Sept., 611; December, 587.

GASOLINE AND ALCOHOL

CINCINNATI, O., April 7—Denatured alcohol in drums 34; gasoline, tank wagon, 21; 70 per cent, 31.

NEW YORK, April 7—The actual condition of clearing house banks and trust companies for the week shows an excess in reserve of $2,276,570. This is a decrease of $2,622,930.

COFFEE

NEW YORK, April 7—Coffee: Rio No. 1, 11 3-4; futures steady; May 962; July 903.

COTTON

NEW YORK, April 7—Cotton spots steady; middling 30.00.

Cotton futures closed steady; May 29.70; July 28.88; Oct. 25.55; December 25.13; January 24.86.

LIBERTY BONDS.

NEW YORK, April 7—Liberty bonds closed: 3 1-2, 101.04; first 4 1-4s, 98.00; second 4 1-4s, 97.25; third 4 1-4s, 98.21; fourth 4 1-4s, 98.00; victory 4 3-4's, 101.01; U. S. tTreasury, 99.05.

Court House

Clowe Held To Grand Jury

The preliminary hearing of Homer Clowe, charged with stealing and selling government property in the way of army pistols, taken from the headquarters of the Combat Train on Third street, held Saturday morning, resulted in U. S. Commissioner J. F. Johnley holding the accused for Federal grand jury action under $1,000 bond, in default of which he was ordered committed to the Hamilton county jail. With Millard Hodge, who was sent to the Federal grand jury on a similar charge yesterday, Clowe was taken to Cincinnati this afternoon by U. S. Deputy Marshal T. J. Donavan.

Continued For Further Evidence

The divorce and alimony suit of Ruby Helt, Lawson street, against Emil Helt, Jr., 736 Eighth street, was partially heard by Judge Thomas in Common Pleas court and then continued for further evidence.

They were married in 1915, and the wife charged cruelty and neglect. She told the court that Helt refused to work and support her and their child, now aged 6 years, and declared that he assaulted and abused her during the time she lived with him, besides, she asserted, he was guilty of misconduct with other women. On the stand in his own behalf Helt denied many of her statements and accused her of being too friendly with another man. Attorney B. F. Kimbie represented the wife and Attorney A. C. Campbell appeared for Helt.

Waller Seeks Divorce

George M. Waller charges neglect and cruelty in his suit for divorce and custody of their two minor children, instituted in common pleas court Saturday against Alice A. Waller, now living at Rock Camp, Lawrence county, whom he married in April, 1915.

Through Attorney Sherrard M. Johnson the plaintiff complains that the defendant has refused to be a wife to him and declaring that she refused to cook his meals and has willfully abandoned him and their children for a week or more at a time, besides, he says, she continually abused and cursed him.

Marriage Licenses

John Robert Book, 31, salesman, city, and Osa Elliott, 22, shoeworker, city, Rev. Gerald Culberson.

Herbert Bonts, 20, carpenter, South Webster, and Genevieve L. Baker, 24, clerk, Scioto Furnace, Rev. Mr. Reinhardt.

Talmage Estep, 20, shoeworker, York, Ky., and Nola Scaggs, 18, shoeworker, city, Rev. Mr. Estep.

William A. McClone, 25, farmer, Carter, Ky., and Esta Rutherford, 27, housekeeper, city, Squire J. L. Rickey.

Henry Travis, 33, boilermaker, city, and Bessie Fannin, 22, city, Rev. William Lawhorn.

Real Estate Transfers

Charles F. McCoy to Alfred M. Crouch, lot on Eighth street, $1 etc.

J. J. Bellamy to Jacob See, 40 acres Harrison twp. $1 etc.

Anna E. Billian to Mary J. Clark, lot Portsmouth Real Estate company addition $1 etc.

Clinton Rose to J. G. A. Staker, 85½ acres Green township $1 etc.

Roscoe Buckley to James M. Barnett, part acre Porter twp. $1 etc.

Carl Scheid and others to Kate Sisler, lot on Gay street, $1 etc.

Henry Scheid and others to Carl Scheid lot on Gay street, $1 etc.

The Hazelbeck company to Lafayette Pitton, lot in Highland addition $1 etc.

Fred A. Ruhlman to Harry H. Huron, lot on Eighth street $1 etc.

William Drake to Nick Argeros, lot on Campbell avenue $1 etc.

Emory Holt to Uri T. Holmes, lot on Eleventh street $1 etc.

Elmer Fernch to Victor H. Elliott, lot in Miller addition $1 etc.

SOCIETY

Mrs. W. S. Hollenbeck of Third street chaperoned a jolly crowd of young folks on a delightful marshmallow and weiner roast last evening. The party hiked to a convenient spot five miles from the city, where they enjoyed a delicious picnic lunch. Those enjoying the trip were the Misses Dorothy Marie Hennessey, Dorothy Loft, Louise Shield, Helen Tipton, Marie Tipton, Katherine Jones and Katherine Sheld.

Messrs. Henry Maupin, Oscar Pyle, Latrail Hoover and Frank Tipton.

The Christian Union Sunday School of Otway will give their annual banquet in the auditorium of the Otway High school. All members of the Sunday School are cordially invited to attend.

Mrs. G. E. Koch of Wheelersburg will entertain the members of the Wheelersburg Reading Club Tuesday afternoon from three until five. An appropriate program will be rendered.

MORE HINTS ABOUT MEN

It Would Seem That Writer Has Given Pretty Thorough Consideration to the Subject.

"There never was a man too near-sighted to see the look of admiration in a pretty woman's eyes."

"A good woman inspires a man; a brilliant woman fascinates him; but the considerate woman gets him."

"When it comes to making love, a girl can always listen so much faster than a man can talk."

"Love, the quest; marriage, the conquest; divorce, the inquest."

"Most marriages, nowadays, seem built for speed rather than for endurance."

"There are only two kinds of perfectly faultless men—the dead and the deadly."

"One reason why a man's life is so much fuller than a woman's is because he spends nearly three-quarters of it in hunting up things for a woman to do."

"A widow's chief consolation in remarrying is probably that she finds it less exhausting to sit up and wait for one man to come home evenings, than to sit up and wait for a lot of them to go home."—From "A Guide to Men," by Helen Rexland.

The Smothered Confession

By JOHN PALMER

The finest story young Thompson ever wrote for his paper was the description of Lyman Jackson's death.

"Thompson," said his city editor to him, "Jackson, the department store man's dead. Died last night. Swallowed oxalic acid in mistake for some medicine or other. Old man with a pretty young wife. Run up and interview her and find out just what happened and make a thundering good story out of it."

Thompson was new at the game. The city editor saw him hesitate.

"Whasermarrer? Don't like the job, hey?"

"Well, Mr. Benton, I—it's sort of mean, isn't it! Of course—"

Benton laid a fatherly hand upon his shoulder. "See here, son," he said, "a reporter has no sense of honor apart from his paper. Get me? What your paper thinks right you think right. Now hop!"

Thompson hopped, but he hated himself and his job more and more as he made his way uptown on the L. When he arrived at the Jackson house he had to summon all his energies to ring the bell.

The maid showed him into the parlor. Presently an extremely pretty young widow came in, dressed in black. Her eyes were red and tear-stained.

"Good-morning," said Thompson. "I'm from the Daily Record. We want to know how this unforunate accident came about."

"Well, I've nothing to say," she answered. "That's all to that."

Thompson knew she would talk. "How did he come to make such a mistake?" he asked.

"Because he took the wrong bottle in the dark instead of switching on the light. My God, it's too terrible!" She began to cry, and Thompson felt more of a brute than ever.

"And how long was it before he realized the mistake?" he asked.

"Not for nearly an hour, until he was seized with those terrible pains. I called the doctor at once, of course, but it was too late. Oh, I can't bear to think about it."

Thompson asked her a few more questions, which she answered. "Well, I'm sorry to have troubled you," he said. He would have to elaborate the widow's story; there had been nothing picturesque in the manner of Jackson's death.

Just a stupid old man dying in a stupid way. How could he build a romance out of that?

"Are you really a reporter?" asked Mrs. Jackson suddenly. "Not a—a detective?"

"A detective? Why?"

"Oh, I'm going to tell you the truth now," she cried suddenly, catching Thompson by the arm. "I killed him!"

"You—? Thompson stared at her. Was she out of her mind, or—?

"I killed him. I took away that bottle of medicine he kept on the shelf to make him sleep, and I put the acid there in its place. I knew he never turned on the light. I knew he'd swallow it and that it would kill him."

"But why?" demanded Thompson, suddenly conscious that he had achieved the scoop of the year.

"Because I love Jim Huddlesfield, and I'd go through h—l for him. And I'd gone through h—l with Mr. Jackson. That's why. He wouldn't die, the old fool, though he'd had heart disease for years.

"You can call this a confession, but I tell you I glory in it. I'd do more than that for Jim. And we were to have been married."

"Did he—did he suspect?"

"He didn't. He was holding my hand at the last, when he was dying, and I was laughing at him. I had no pity for him. Well, why should I have had? He bought me with his money when I was a young and innocent girl. I'd had enough of him. He never knew. Now take me away!"

"But—but I'm not a detective," stammered Thompson. "See here, Mrs. Jackson, you were out of your mind when you told me this."

"You—you are really a reporter? My God, and I thought—Oh, what shall I do?"

Thompson took her by the arm. "You will take care to place a seal upon your lips, Mrs. Jackson, as I shall place one on mine," he answered. "Not one word of what you have told me will be printed or retailed to anyone. For, you see, it isn't true."

"No, it isn't true," she repeated mechanically.

Thompson's story was the best thing he ever wrote. It described how the old man took the acid in mistake for the sleeping draught, and his last hours, and the anguish of his broken-hearted widow.

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India's Sacred River.

The Ganges is the sacred river of the Hindus. On its banks are many temples and holy places such as Benares, Allahabad, Hardwar and Gangotri. According to the legend Princess Ganda, a Hindu goddess, of long ago, turned herself into this great river, that she might enrich and purify the country. Devout Hindus bathe themselves in its sacred waters and pray to die beside it. It is their desire that their bodies may be burned upon its waters and allowed to float on down to the sea. The length of the main stream of the Ganges is 1,557 miles, and its every bend is sacred. Pilgrims walk from its source and back again, taking six months or more for the pilgrimage. Before the Juggernaut car which rolled in the procession along its banks, fanatics used to throw themselves, to be crushed to death amid the applause of the worshipers. This is now forbidden by law as is also the burning of widows on the funeral pyre of their husbands, and the casting of babes into the sacred river.

Modesty

"My brother," began the serious-minded person, "I have a great task before me."

"What is it?" asked Mr. Dudwaite, suspiciously.

"Uplifting the human race."

"I have no doubt you can do it," replied Mr. Dudwaite, as he edged off, "but I'm such an unimportant member of the human race that I'm sure you'll get no particular credit out of uplifting me."—Birmingham Age-Herald.

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K. OF C.'S INVADE IRONTON SUNDAY

District Deputy John W. Russell, of the Knights of Columbus headed a delegation of local Knights who were present last night when the Ironton K. of C. conferred the first degree on a class of fifty candidates who will receive the second and third degrees tomorrow at an inter-city meeting in Ironton. Ashland Knights were also well represented last night.

EVIDENCE IN PIKE COUNTY CASE TO BE TURNED OVER TO FEDERAL AUTHORITIES

COLUMBUS, O., April 6.—Provision for turning all evidence taken by the special committee of the House of Representatives which investigated the Pike county elections over to the Attorney General or the Federal District Attorney was made today by adopting a resolution authorizing the clerk of the House to turn the records over to either on their request.

The committee in its report on the Pike county case recommended that either a state or federal investigation be made in Pike county with a view to indicting persons responsible for corrupt conditions there during the last election.

M. W. of A., Initiate Class

Six candidates were admitted to membership by Modern Woodmen lodge at a well attended meeting held in Castle Hall Friday night. Those initiated included C. L. Miller, Jarett Sowards, Corbett M. Stambaugh, William Vulgamore, Clarence Sexton and Irvin Stewart.

It was announced that new uniforms have been ordered for the degree team and that these will be used for the next initiation.

The members were favored with several selections by the Portsmouth Gospel Quartet composed of Pierce D. Hilbert, E. L. Thomas, W. K. Pundeney, and E. L. Singer. At the close of the meeting a buffet lunch was served and smokes were passed.

"Have you had much experience in a jazz orchestra?"

"Have I? Why, five years ago I was a physical weakling!"

"Well?"

"Feel my muscle now!"—The Passing Show (London).

"PEACE PIPE" WAS SACRED

American Indians Attached Immense Importance to Ceremony Accompanying its Smoking.

The smoking of the "Pipe of Peace" among the American Indians was a ceremony attended with great solemnity. The peace pipe, called by the French the calumet, was treated with great reverence and was brought out only upon the most important occasions, such as the making of peace treaties, the reception of a distinguished stranger with whom the tribe wished to be upon good terms. If the occasion did not bring forth the pipe of peace, it was a sign of hostility. To refuse to smoke it when offered was a cause of offense. The calumet was between two and three inches long, and the stem rather than the bowl was the object of the Indian's reverence. The stem was of reed, artistically decorated with women's hair or porcu's quills. Among the western tribes the pipe bowl was of red catlinite, a fine-grained stone of deep red color found in Coteau des Prairies, west of Big Stone lake, in South Dakota. The Indians of the South and East made the bowl of white stone pierced with several holes so that several stems could be used at the same time. The calumet quarries were regarded as neutral ground among the warring tribes and there were many sacred traditions connected with these spots.

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OBITUARY

James M. Hamilton

Death about nine o'clock Friday night claimed James H. Hamilton, a native of Red Brush, Ky., who passed away at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Parish F. Sherman, 1730 Charles street. Two weeks ago last Tuesday Mr. Hamilton suffered a stroke of paralysis, his left side being affected. His condition had been serious since the first stroke, death following the second one last night. The deceased was 78 years of age. His wife died five years ago at Red Brush, Ky., where family formerly resided. Since his death Mr. Hamilton had made his home with his children. He had spent most of his time with his daughter Mrs. Sherman who formerly lived in New Boston.

Surviving are five children, Mrs. Parish F. Sherman, Charles street, Mrs. William Skaggs, Portsmouth, Mrs. William Lyons, McCall, Ky. John B. Hamilton of Portsmouth and Dave Hamilton of Fleming, Ky. He also leaves two brothers Richard Hamilton of Ashland, Ky., Ben Hamilton of Red Brush and a sister Mrs. Katie Holbrook of Ashland.

Services will be held at 10:30 o'clock Sunday morning from the Sherman home with burial at Sunset, Ky.

Trende Funeral

Funeral services for Frank Trende, who died at his home, 1122 Kendall avenue, Thursday, were held from the home this afternoon at 2 o'clock, with Rev. Samuel Lindemeyer in charge. Burial was in Grenlawn.

Andrew J. Courtright

Andrew J. Courtright, born in Lawrence county August 3, 1842, died March 31, 1923, at his late home on Pine Creek, Scioto county.

Most of his life was spent on Pine Creek near Powellsville where he was well known. He had been an invalid since 1893.

Fifty years ago he was united in marriage to Sarah Alice Thompson and nine children were born of this union. The widow and following children survive: Mrs. Mack Smith of Powellsville, William Courtright of Pine Creek, Mrs. James Ruth of Black Fork, Frank Courtright of Linwood, Mrs. Clarence Weaver of Pine Creek, Mrs. Mose Martin of Twelfth street, Portsmouth, and Albert Courtright of Pine Creek. Two daughters, Mrs. Pearl Weaver and Mary Belle who died in infancy preceded him to the Great Beyond.

The deceased had been an invalid since 1893. He was converted to the Christian faith at the age of twenty-eight and always lived a Christian life.

Funeral services were held at the Pine Creek church with Rev. John Kemper in charge Monday, April 2 at ten a. m.

Hester Funeral

Funeral services for Mrs. Sarah Ellen Hester, who died at the home of her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hester, 213 Jefferson street, Thursday night, will be held from the home Sunday afternoon at two o'clock with Rev. G. Monroe Howerton of the Central Presbyterian church in charge. Burial will be in Rushtown cemetery.

Miss Grace Carpenter

Otto Carpenter, manager of the Arcana Theater, was called to Danville, Ill., Saturday by the sudden death of his sister, Miss Grace Carpenter.

Scott Funeral

Funeral services for Mrs. Robert N. Scott of McDermott, who died at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Gibbens, 1407 Sixth street, Thursday, were held from the Gibbens home this afternoon at 2 o'clock, with Rev. H. Stewart Tills, of the First Baptist Church, in charge. Burial was in Rushtown cemetery.

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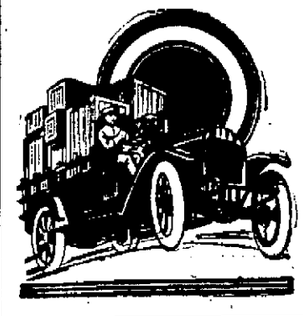

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FOR RENT—2 light housekeeping rooms. Bath, phone, electricity. Phone Boston 174-X. 6-3t

FOR RENT—One new brick bungalow on Grant Street. Phone 666-R or inquire 1423 Center. 6-3t

FOR RENT—3 furnished rooms, first floor; private bath, electricity. 3 porches. 615 Fourth. Phone 660-X. 4-5-tf

FOR RENT—Furnished room in rear; no children. Inquire 518 3rd. 6-2t

FOR RENT—Newly furnished rooms for light housekeeping, with private bath; gas and electricity. Call 2215-X. 5-3t

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FOR RENT—Large front room for light housekeeping with bath. 3144 Walnut. Phone Boston 157-Y. 4-3-tf

FOR RENT—2 furnished light housekeeping rooms. Call after 5 p. m. Phone 2198-L. 4-2-tf

FOR RENT—Modern sleeping room for 1 or 2 persons. Use of bath. Gas, electricity, phone. Also garage. 1416 3rd. Phone 2670-J. 4-2-tf

FOR RENT Sleeping room. All conveniences. 1418 3rd. Phone 745-X. 4-3t

FOR RENT — Furnished sleeping room. Modern. Phone 2218-G. 3-22-tf

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FOR RENT—Modern 6 room house. Inquire 511 Offnere. 7-3t

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FOR RENT—3 unfurnished rooms, modern conveniences. Inquire 1421 Center. Phone 2522-Y. 7-3t

FOR RENT—Modern sleeping room. Phone 962-R. 7-2t

FOR RENT—2 furnished rooms for light housekeeping. Call 1595-R. 7-2t

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LOST—In vicinity of Market St., a tablet containing names. Leave at 1921 11th St., reward, or phone 1618-R. 4-3t

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LOST or Strayed—Black and tan hound pup with collar and chain on. Scar on left hind leg. Phone 2225-X. Reward. 6-2t

LOST—Lady's black duvetyn bag near corner 6th and Offnere. Contained about $21 receipts and calling card with owner's name. Phone 763-Y. Reward. 6-2t

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THEORIES OF LIFE DIFFER

Question of Chance and Evolution Apparently Will Long Be Matter of Discussion.

Writing on the work of Jacques Loeb, the famous exponent of the mechanical theory of life, in Harper's Magazine, Paul H. De Kruif said: "It is constantly remarked by lay people of intelligence and by many biologists that the apparently wonderful way in which animals are adapted to their environment is the best evidence of some purpose and design in nature. To Loeb, with his detached vision and his freedom from anthropomorphism, it is just as conceivable that nature is accidental and a pure matter of chance. It is possible that 'those survive who have the equipment—they did not acquire the equipment under the influence of environment. . . . It is possible for forms with moderate disharmonies to survive, those with gross disharmonies do not exist, and we are not reminded of their possible existence.' Nature, the master points out, is enormously wasteful. There are, for instance, a hundred million possible crosses of marine bony fish. Of these only ten thousand, or one hundredth of 1 per cent, actually exist. Every one will admit that this fact is a much better argument for planlessness than for design. For out of an almost infinite number of combinations it would be strange if chance did not bring about the existence of a small number of forms capable of survival."

SEEMINGLY QUITE IN ORDER

English Actor's Witty Introduction of Two New Acquaintances Placed Correctly.

Every book of reminiscences published nowadays which contains anything about the theater has at least one anecdote about the late Sir Herbert Tree. The author of "The Nineteen Hundreds," who writes under the pseudonym Reginald Auberon, retails one of Sir Herbert's spontaneous flashes to carry on the tradition. Accompanied by Lady Tree, he had gone down to the Palace theater to rehearse a sketch. "As he wandered about the unfamiliar stage, feeling very bored and looking like a fish out of water, a couple of 'knock-about' comedians who had just finished their 'turn' approached him. 'Well met, Sir 'Erb!' exclaimed the first one, slapping him heartily on the back. 'Glad to welcome you 'ere!' 'Oh, delighted!' murmured Tree, vaguely. 'This is my mate, 'Arry,' continued the other, beckoning to his partner. 'Pleased to meet you,' declared the second comedian, delivering an equally vigorous slap on Tree's shoulder. 'Welcome to the 'alls. The missus showing with you?' With a magnificent gesture, Tree signaled to his wife. 'Maud,' he said, 'allow me to introduce my new friends—Lady Tree—the Two Smacks!'"

Transient Value.

Purpose-novels, like advertisements, belong to the temporary department. As certain goods and wares go out of date, and the often eloquent announcements that commended them suddenly disappear; even so the "burning questions" of the hour and age burn out, and the solutions of them presented in the form of fiction fall down with the other ashes. They have served their purpose, well or ill, and their transient importance is ended. What endures, if anything, is the human story vividly told, the human characters graphically depicted. These have a permanent value. These belong to literature. Here I would place "Adam Bede" and "Silas Marner" and "The Mill on the Floss" and "Middlemarch," because they deal with problems which never grow old; but not "Robert Elsmere," because of deals chiefly with a defunct controversy in Biblical criticism.—Henry Van Dyke, in "Companionable Books."

Elevator Operator Scores.

Elevator service at a Brooklyn gymnasium largely patronized by fat business men is not always what the members think it should be. On the way to their volley ball games or setting-up exercises they frequently have to wait several minutes before the overworked operator descends with the "lift" to carry them to the gymnasium floor.

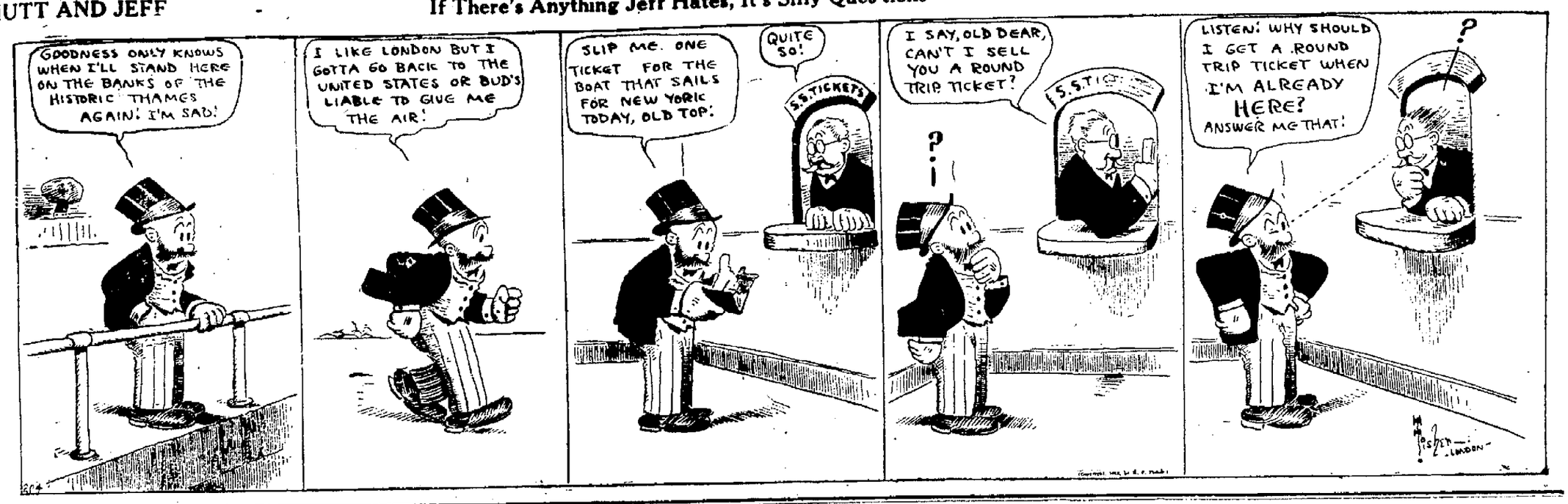
The elevator operator thinks much of his patrons' criticism is uncalled for. So when he was berated the other day for being tardy in answering the lobby signals he told one of the grumblers:

"The gymnasium is on the third floor. You come here for exercise. Instead of waiting for the elevator why don't you walk up?"

Aristotle's Philosophy.

Aristotle has been called a practical philosopher. A better designation would be a philosopher of facts. He sought for facts everywhere in nature. Thus he began under his father, and he continued to do all his life, a student of nature. When he mistook her he wrote down wrong conclusions, but he really mistook her seldom. In consequence, very many of the things he wrote four centuries before Christ are true today. Nature's laws being unchangeable lead only one way, and on that way her modern pupil and her classical Aristotle meet.—New York Herald.

MUTT AND JEFF — If There's Anything Jeff Hates, It's Silly Ques tions — BY BUD FISHER



Negative Team Wins St. Mary's Debate

The team representing the junior class, taking the negative side of the question, won the decision in the St. Mary's High School interclass debate last night at the P. H. S. Auditorium before a large audience. The affirmative was upheld by the seniors.

The judges were W. J. Burke, Attorney Russell McCurdy and Mrs. Lena Kline Reed.

Clara Vetter, Joseph Frantz and Alex Glockner, with Esther Eckfeldt as alternate, composed the affirmative team, while Rosa Doll, Rosina Frederick and Eugene Emmett, with Edward Krick as alternates, formed the negative squad.

"The Development of Aircraft" was the title of an interesting oration by Vincent Orlett, and another, equally so, was "The Influence of Music," by Lawrence Schuler.

One of the features of the evening's entertainment was the singing of the Boys' Quarrette.

Music was furnished by St. Mary's High School Orchestra, the personnel of which is as follows: Violins: Lawrence Schuler, Joseph Schaefer, Clara Vetter, Joseph Frantz, Richard Haag, Elmore Bickel, Tilford Jewell and Jane Snyder. Mandolins: Anna Glockner, Charlotte Scheffler, Agnes Orlett and Vincent Orlett. Cellos: Charles Snyder, Paul Schmidt and Eugene Emmett. Cornet: Charles Herth. Clarinet: Edward Knochel. Saxaphones: Charles Reitz and Ralph Ross. Bass: Mary Frantz. Bells: Louise Scheffler. Piano: Marie Baum.

Cleanup Disorderly Resorts

BECKLEY, W. Va., April 7—State police here have started a general cleanup of disorderly resorts as a result of the pitiable case of an 11-year-old girl from Lester, who visited her sister at Beckley Junction and soon became depraved. The girl disappeared shortly after the police started investigating the case.

Organizing Alumni

BUCKHANNON, W. Va.—Carl Miller, athletic director and alumni secretary of West Virginia Wesleyan college is making a tour of the larger cities of the state in an effort to organize alumni chapters in the cities.

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City Bowling League

TEAM STANDING

	W.	L.	Pct
Play House	26	7	788
Masons	23	7	767
Baker's Tramps	21	9	727
Selby	20	10	667
Drew	14	19	424
By Steel	10	23	303
American Legion	6	24	200
Excelsior	3	27	100

Games Tonight

Selby vs Champions.

Games Next Week

Thursday—By Steel vs Play House
Thursday—Drew vs Baker's Tramps.
Friday—American Legion vs Selby.
Friday—Excelsior vs Masons.

Last Night's Results

Play House—				
Marple	161	192	202	555
Mantel	150	175	146	471
Higgins	195	137	165	497
Somers	152	140	144	436
LeMaster	183	194	164	541
Totals	841	838	821	2500

American Legion—				
Wilhelm	176	159	189	524
Smith	134	153	155	442
Franck	103	000	000	103
Reeg	150	145	153	448
Haupt	138	186	214	538
Brannan	000	178	212	390
Totals	701	821	923	2445

Selby vs Masons game postponed.

To Erect Guard Rails

MORGANTOWN, W. Va.—Work was started yesterday on the guard rails along Cheat river road. The project is for the purpose of lessening danger of automobile accidents.

Evangelical Synod to be Held

WHEELING, W. Va.—The semi-annual meeting of the Board of the Evangelical Synod of North America will be held next Tuesday and Wednesday at St. Paul's Evangelical church here. Dr. John Baltzer, president of the Synod, will be the guest of honor and will deliver the principal address.

Establish Citizenship Classes

GARY, W. Va.—Irene Flowers Hickey, Americanization worker for the federal bureau of naturalization has come here to establish classes of citizenship among not only the foreign born, but also native-born negroes and whites.

DUCK PIN LEAGUE

TEAM STANDING

	W.	L	Pct
LeMaster-Briggs	94	31	752
Kelley-Knost	79	46	632
Hadley-Davidson	69	56	556
Erwin-James	65	60	520
Mansfield-Nick	65	60	520
Pherson-Cooper	62	63	496
Hamm-McCoy	61	64	488
Wolff-Becker	54	71	432
Hughes-Blood	39	81	325
Glickert-Morris	32	88	267

Games Tonight

Kelley-Knost vs Hadley-Davidson.

Last Night's Results

Becker	97	85	96	75	101	454
Wolff	130	99	119	121	132	601
Totals	227	184	215	196	233	1055

—VS—

Blood	85	84	80	76	99	424
Blind	100	100	100	100	100	500
Totals	185	184	180	176	199	924

VOLLEY BALL

River City League

Teams.	W.	L.	Pct.
Tigers	64	22	.744
Standard Supply	60	30	.667
Faculty	45	48	.484
Bankers	36	63	.364
Giants	23	64	.264

Three hot games were staged last night in the high school gym between the Bankers and a picked team, the contests resulting in victories for the picked six. The scores were 21-16, 21-19 and 21-20. The last two games were hard fought, the Bankers taking the lead only to have their opponents come from behind and win out.

The lineups and scores:

Bankers: McNamara, Uhl, Brunny, Pratt, Hopkins and Phillips.

All Stars: Baker, F. Williams, G. Williams, Ellsessor, Gordley and Schusky.

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THE GREAT ELUSION

BY E. PHILLIPS OPPENHEIM

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Vendetta begins between

MICHAEL SAYERS, noted criminal, and

SIR NORMAN GREYES, once of Scotland Yard, when Sayers' beautiful housemaid,

JANET, saves him from Sir Norman by shooting dead an officer sent to arrest him. Greyes falls in love with Janet and proposes marriage. Michael disguises himself and attends the wedding reception. Having stolen a pearl necklace, the gift of Sir Norman to his bride, Sayers returns them indirectly to Janet.

Michael buys from the divorced wife of a politician a bundle of manuscript, evidence against the lady's former husband and his confederate, the well-known Lord Kindersley. Sayers refuses ten thousand pounds from the newspapers for the evidence for publication because he is in love with Beatrice Kindersley.

IT was toward the close of a dinner party at Kindersley Court, in Devonshire, where Janet and I were spending a fortnight, that our host suddenly directed the conversation to me.

"One has heard a great deal of your successes, Greyes, especially during your last few years at Scotland Yard. What do you count your greatest failure?"

"My inability to bring to justice the greatest criminal in Europe," I replied after a moment's hesitation. "I had him on my book for three years, but when I retired, he was still very much at large."

"What is his name?" Lord Kindersley asked with some interest.

I smiled.

"A name, with him, I suspect, is an affair of the moment. I have known him under a dozen different pseudonyms; but his real name is, I believe, Michael." He did me the honor to attend my wedding reception as Colonel Escombe."

I happened to meet the glance of Beatrice Kindersley as I looked across the table.

"But tell us about this man Michael?" Lord Kindersley intervened. "I remember, seven or eight years ago, hearing something about the duel between you fellows at Scotland Yard and a wonderfully led criminal gang. Where is the fellow now?"

I shook my head.

"I shouldn't have the faintest idea where to look for him. If he comes into the limelight again, my friend Rimmington at Scotland Yard will certainly send for me."

"And you would join in the hunt?" our host persisted.

"You would do nothing of the sort," Janet intervened, looking across at me. "That is a promise."

I smiled back at her reassuringly. Prosperity and peace of mind had agreed with Janet. The dignity of wifehood sat well upon her. Her complexion seemed to have grown more creamy, her beautiful eyes softer, her carriage, always graceful, more assured. There was no woman in the county more admired than she—certainly no one less spoiled. I sometimes think that if she had had her way, she would never have wandered at all outside our little domain.

"There is just the one possibility," I remarked, "that I might not be able to evade the challenge. If I do not go after Michael, he may come after me."

It was precisely at this moment that the amazing event happened. We were a party of twelve at dinner, seated at a round table in the center of the large banqueting hall of Kindersley Court. The room was rather dimly lighted, except for the heavily shaded table lamps. The two footmen had left the room, presumably to fetch the coffee, and the butler standing behind Lord Kindersley's chair was the only servant in attendance. Suddenly every light in the place went out, and we were plunged into the most complete darkness.

"Never knew such a thing to happen before," our host declared in an annoyed tone. "Somebody must have been tinkering with the power-house. Fetch some candles, Searle."

The butler turned to grope his way toward the door, but he was not allowed to reach it. From various parts of the shadowy spaces on every side of us, little pin-points of fire blazed out and steadily approached, without sound or movement. One of them came to a standstill immediately behind Lord Kindersley's chair. Wielded by some unseen hand, the dazzling brilliancy of a high-powered electric torch was flashed round upon twelve amazed faces. Then a strong voice broke the spellbound silence, a voice still and cold and perfectly modulated.

"Ladies and gentlemen," the intruder said, "there is no need for any particular alarm. This is, to use a slang phrase, a 'holdup.' We have automatic pistols, and I trust that you will realize the absurdity of resistance."

"God bless my soul!" Lord Kindersley exclaimed. "Where are all my servants? How the devil did you get in?"

"It is scarcely policy to let you into the secret of our methods," the same cold voice continued; "but I have no objection to telling you that we came in through the front door, that your servants are locked up and guarded in the servants' hall very much as you are, that your telephone wires are cut, your electric-light supply is in our hands, and the lodge-gates guarded. You ladies will kindly place all the jewelry you are wearing, upon the table in front of you. There must be no delay, please, or any attempt at concealment."

"What shall I do?" the woman next to me whispered hoarsely. "I am wearing my emeralds—Jack implored me not to—they are worth 20,000 pounds."

"You will have to do as the others are doing," I told her. "The first act of this little drama must be played out according to orders."

She unclasped the necklace with trembling fingers, and the unseen figure behind Lord Kindersley's chair spoke again.

"Will it be Sir Norman Greyes who struts across the stage in the second act?" he asked mockingly.

THEN I knew who was there, and I remembered that Michael had sworn to take my life when and how the opportunity offered. I was an easy mark for him, sitting there, but somehow the idea of assassination never had any terrors for me.

"I may occupy the stage for a little time," I answered, feeling for my wine through the darkness. "But after all, it will be the third act that counts. Which will you choose, I wonder, Michael—the gallows at Wandsworth Gaol or the electric chair at Sing Sing?"

This, of course, was sheer bravado, a touch of melodrama of which I repented as soon as I had indulged in it. I heard the click of a weapon, and in the steady glare of that small circle of light I saw the flash upon its barrel as it drew level with my head. There was a silence as poignant as it was hysterical; then a cry from Janet rang through the room.

"A familiar voice, I fancy," Michael said coldly as he lowered his weapon. "You do well to intervene, dear lady. Some day or other, I think that your husband will kill me or I him; but unless he hunts me with a posse of policemen, it will be when we are both armed and the odds are even."

"GOD BLESS MY SOUL!" LORD KINDERSLEY EXCLAIMED. "HOW THE DEVIL DID YOU GET IN?"

"May I speak, please?" Beatrice Kindersley asked.

"I have put my rings and bracelets upon the table. I am wearing around my neck a miniature set with brilliants. It is not really very valuable, but it was left me by a relative. May I keep it?"

The light flashed for a moment upon the pendant which she seemed to be holding forward for examination, flashed on the little heap of her jewelry upon the table.

"Pray keep your miniature," the voice conceded. "Do me the further honor, if you will, of replacing your jewelry upon your fingers and wrists. We are not here to rob children of their baubles."

BEATRICE'S laugh was a most amazing thing. It was perfectly natural and full of amused enjoyment.

"I don't like the reflection upon my jewelry," she complained. "However, since you are so generous, I will accept your offer."

"Look here," Lord Kindersley broke out, finding a certain courage from his niece's complete composure, "is this a practical joke?"

"You will discover if it is a practical joke or not, if you attempt to leave your seat!" was the instant reply.

"These fellows can't think they're going to get away with a thing like this," muttered Lord Harraden, the lord lieutenant of the county, from the other end of the table.

"Your Lordship is mistaken," was the confident reply from the unseen figure who was directing the proceedings. "I will lay you five to one in hundreds that we do, payment to be made through the personal column of the Times in thirty days' time."

"Gad, he's a cool hand!" chuckled Anstruther, the master of hounds, who was seated next but one to me. "I wish I could see his face for a moment."

"It would be your last if you did," he was promptly told.

"What if I strike a match?" a young man who was seated next to Kindersley inquired.

"I should put it out with one bullet and you with the next," Michael assured him grimly. "Now, ladies and gentlemen," he went on, after a brief pause, "our business seems to be over. Anyone who leaves his seat before we reach the door, will be shot. As soon as we get there, we shall lock you in, and then you can commence your part of the fun as soon as you like."

No one attempted a single word of reply. The little points of fire were kept turned upon us while our visitors slowly retreated. We heard the door unlocked, heard it slammed, heard it locked again—the signal for our emancipation. Very nearly simultaneously we all started to our feet.

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RIDENOUR TO PREPARE PLANS FOR NEW SCHOOL

Architect Wesley P. Ridenour has been commissioned by the Stockdale Rural School District, Pike County, to prepare plans and supervise the construction of a new fire proof high school at Stockdale.

The building will cost $25,000 and will be thoroughly modern throughout, containing an auditorium, large study hall, library, three recitation rooms, domestic science room, and manual training room.

Work will start about the middle of May, Architect Ridenour stated yesterday.

Demands Investigation

MORGANTOWN, W. Va., April 7—Believing that there is too much loss of cattle with too small a margin of positive cases of tuberculosis, L. V. Hunner, local dairyman has asked the animal husbandry department of the United States department of agriculture to conduct an investigation into the methods being used here to determine the presence of tuberculosis in milk cows.

To Establish Playground

MORGANTOWN, W. Va.—By unanimous vote, the Morgantown chamber of commerce recreation council decided to establish playgrounds in various sections of the city and to invite the Playground Association of America to send to Morgantown a trained expert to form plans for summer activities.

New Hotel For Morgantown

MORGANTOWN, W. Va.—Workmen today were tearing down an old building on the site that the new Morgantown hotel is to be erected.

NOTICE OF ATTACHMENT

Robert Gloth, whose last known place of residence was Monessen, Pennsylvania and Emma Gloth who resides at Holyoke, Mass., will take notice that on the 10th day of March, 1923, that Thomas E. Gowen filed a petition in the Common Pleas Court of Scioto County, Ohio, being Case No. 17740, praying for the recovery of $339.00 from the defendants Robert Gloth and Emma Gloth with interest at the rate of 6 per cent from the 10th day of January 1923, due on an account for work and labor.

Notice is also hereby given that an order of attachment has been issued in this action for the attachment for the property of the defendants located in a building in the corner of Third and Jefferson Streets in the City of Portsmouth, Ohio.

The said defendants are required to file answer on or before six weeks from date of first publication of judgment will be taken against them.

THOMAS E. GOWEN
Plaintiff

Joseph T. Micklethwait, Attorney
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NOTICE OF ATTACHMENT

Robert Gloth, whose last known place of residence was Monessen, Pennsylvania and Emma Gloth, who resides at Holyoke, Mass., will take notice that on the 2nd day of March, 1923 that Cyrus Holliday filed a petition in the Common Pleas Court of Scioto County, Ohio, being case No. 17711 praying for the recovery of $135.25 from the defendants Robert Gloth and Emma Gloth with interest at the rate of 8 per cent from the 9th day of October, 1922, due on an account for work and labor.

Notice is also hereby given that an order of attachment has been issued in this action for the attachment for the property of the defendants located in a building in the corner of Third and Jefferson Streets in the City of Portsmouth, Ohio.

The said defendants are required to file answer on or before six weeks from date of first publication or judgment will be taken against them.

CYRUS HOLLIDAY,
Plaintiff

Joseph T. Micklethwait, Attorney.
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LEGAL NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that a meeting of the stockholders of The Wilhemette Realty Company will be held at its office, Room 55 First National Bank Building, Portsmouth, Ohio, at nine o'clock on the 30th day of April, 1923, to consider the question of the dissolution of said corporation.

GEORGE F. THOMAS,
President of The Wilhemette Realty Company.
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Are Better

A. J. Webber and family who have been ill for the past week at their home, 2114 Vinton avenue with the tonsilitis are better.

RESOLUTION

Number 3148

Declaring it necessary to improve Jackson Street through the Homestead Addition lying west of Rose Ridge No. 1, by grading, setting curbs and gutters, constructing the necessary drains and retaining walls, paving the roadway with vitrified brick, hard burned brick, cement or bituminous paving, determining the general nature of the improvement, the grade thereof, and approving plans, specifications, estimates and profiles therefor.

BE IT RESOLVED by the Council of the City of Portsmouth, State of Ohio, three-fourths of all the members elected thereto concurring as follows:—

SECTION I. That it is hereby declared necessary to improve Jackson Street through the Homestead Addition lying west of Rose Ridge Addition No. 1, by grading, setting curbs and gutters, constructing the necessary drains and retaining walls, paving the roadway with vitrified brick, hard burned brick, cement or bituminous paving, and Council hereby determines that such shall be the general nature of the improvement.

SECTION II. That said improvement shall be made in accordance with the plans, specifications, estimates and profiles of the proposed improvement, designated "9-C-190" now on file in the office of the Director of Public Service, which said plans, specifications, estimates and profiles are hereby approved.

SECTION III. That the grade or elevation of said Jackson street through the Homestead Addition lying west of Rose Ridge Addition No. 1, be and the same is hereby determined and established as follows:—

CENTER GRADE

Beginning at the line between Rose Ridge Addition No. 1 and Homestead Addition at the Center line of Jackson Street Station 0-0 at elevation of 56.25; thence by a descending grade of 0.40 feet per 100 feet for 350 feet to Station 3-50 at elevation of 54.85; thence by an ascending grade of 0.40 feet per 100 feet for 170 feet to Station 5-20 at elevation of 55.53.

The elevation of the paving at the sides of the street will be the same as the center grade.

SECTION IV. That the whole cost of said improvement, less one-fiftieth thereof, and the cost of street and alley intersections shall be assessed by the foot front upon the following lots and lands, to-wit: All lots and lands abounding and abutting upon said proposed improvement which said lots and lands are hereby determined to be specially benefited by said improvement; and the cost of said improvement shall include the cost of the preliminary and other surveys, of printing and publishing the notices, resolutions and ordinances required, the serving of said notices, the cost of construction together with interest on bonds issued in anticipation of the collection of deferred assessments, and all other necessary expenditures.

SECTION V. That the assessments so to be levied shall be paid in 10 annual installments with interest on deferred payments at the rate of six percent per annum provided that the owner of any property assessed may at his option pay such assessment in cash within thirty (30) days from and after the passage of the assessing ordinance, in which case said cash assessment shall not include any item of interest upon bonds to be issued in anticipation of the collection of assessments by installments.

SECTION VI. That bonds of the City of Portsmouth, State of Ohio, shall be issued in anticipation of the collection of assessments by installments and in an amount equal thereto.

SECTION VII. That the remainder of the entire cost of said improvement not specially assessed, including the cost of intersections together with the cost of any real estate or interest therein purchased or appropriated, and the costs and expenses of any owner of adjoining lands be paid by the City of Portsmouth, State of Ohio, out of the proceeds of the sale of bonds to be issued by said City for such purposes in the manner provided by law.

SECTION VIII. This Resolution shall take effect and be in force from and after the earliest period allowed by law.

A. H. WEGHORST,
President.

Adopted March 21, 1923
Attest: J. Earl Chandler, Clerk.
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NOTICE

MAZY BURKE, whose last known address was Fullerton, Kentucky, will take notice that Willard Burke filed his petition for divorce on the 15th day of March, 1923, praying for a divorce on the grounds of gross neglect of duty, same being case No. 17760, in the Court of Common Pleas of Scioto County, Ohio, and that said case will be for hearing on or after the 23th day of April 1923.

WILLARD BURKE
By A. R. Campbell, Plaintiff's Atty.
Advertisement, March 17-6 Sats.

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice is hereby given to the officers and members of Valley Chapel of the Methodist Episcopal Church of Clay Township, Scioto County, Ohio, and to all others whom it may concern, that on the 27th day of March, 1923, the Trustees of said Valley Chapel filed in the Court of Common Pleas of Scioto County, Ohio, in Case No. 17762, their petition praying for an order authorizing them to sell and convey in fee simple to Norfolk and Western Railway Company, for the consideration of Four Thousand Dollars, the following, described real estate situate in Clay Township, Scioto County, Ohio, to-wit:

All that certain lot or parcel of land situate in Township 2, Range 21, Section 29, bounded and described as follows, to-wit:

BEGINNING at a point on the center line of eastbound main track of the Norfolk and Western Railway 3109.3 feet distant north or westerly from M. P. 94, as measured from Norfolk, Virginia; thence S 88° 35' E 22.75 feet to a point (stone called for); on the west side of the Portsmouth and Chillicothe Turnpike; thence N. 1° 25' W. along said west line of said Turnpike 122 feet to a point (stone called for); thence N. 88° 35' W. 165 feet to a stone; thence S. 1° 25' E. 122 feet to an iron pin (stone called for); and thence S. 88° 35' E. 142.25 feet to the place of beginning, containing 0.5 of an acre, which also includes the right of way granted to the Scioto Valley Railway Company by the Trustees by contract dated May 12, 1875, being the same premises conveyed by James W. Feurt and Nancy Feurt, his wife, to John Thomas, et al, Trustees of the M. E. Church, and their successors in office, by deed dated February 25th, 1875 recorded in the Records of Scioto County, Ohio, in Deed Book 2, page 152, same being more fully shown on Plan N-8179, hereto attached and made part thereof.

The edifice used and occupied by said Valley Chapel stands upon said premises.

Said petition will be heard on the 20th day of April, 1923, or as soon thereafter as may be.

S. G. MILLER,
NICHOLAS GABLE,
EDWARD G. MILLER,
CHARLES BAYLESS,
H. E. RAPP
Petitioners

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LEGAL NOTICE

Linda V. McKee whose last known place of residence was Vandergrift, Pa., will take notice that on the 23rd day of October, 1922, Charles W. McKee filed his petition against her in the Court of Common Pleas of Scioto County, Ohio, being cause No. 17381, praying for a divorce from her upon the grounds of wilful absence for more than three years.

Said cause will be for hearing on or after the 12th day of May, 1923.

Charles McKee, Plaintiff
B. F. Kimble, Attorney
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A CONTINUED STORY

MAYOR GABLEMAN, in his message to council on the matter of city waterworks, unfolds a tale of laxity and ineffectiveness that is altogether too common, it might be said the universal rule, in the management of public utilities.

The original waterworks plant was estimated to cost $120,000. That sum, to be sure proved insufficient, and $30,000 more in bonds were issued in the course of construction. Heralded as finished it was soon found more money was needed and new bonds were issued from time to time until the actual bonded cost of the plant stood at $185,000.

The Mayor shows that since 1871, the year construction on the plant was begun, the various bond issues have been reissued and in fifty-two years only $12,000 of the principal indebtedness paid. Estimated at four per cent simple interest, the plant has cost the city over four times the original proposal, $546,000, not including, such operating expenses as have been paid out of receipts.

The big idea is the service never paid for itself until an entirely new system was installed. There was much the same start with that as in the matter of bonds. The first issue was for $300,000, the next $130,000 and the last $80,000. Besides the city has just made arrangements to foot a bill of $51,000 for extras.

But the other side of it is brighter, decidedly brighter, if we consider the other side of it. There has been no large reducement of indebtedness, but lifting of the burden in a comparatively few years seems in fair sight. The phenomenal growth of the city and the opening up of new residential territory has called for continuous extension, at a large cost. The water service is now at hand in nearly all the territory where there is likely to be heavy increase in population, so this big item of expense will not vex so much hereafter. Besides that better management has become the order and the utility is receiving a fairer price for its service, one at least adequate to pay operating expense and provide a fund for the orderly retirement of bonds.

However, a new problem is beginning to present itself in the near future, an adequate supply. The plant is on somewhat nigh normal capacity now. It will take only the average expansion of the city for a few years to overstrain it.

Possibly, this looming situation could be provided against by the exercise of care on the part of the general public. Portsmouth, according to a state examiner, consumes a formidable amount of water above the average. This can mean nothing else but waste. That waste can be eliminated by the exercise of a bit of carefulness on the part of every consumer and it is likely it can be stopped by the compelling the installation of meters. This latter would be the fair and just corrective, because with it every consumer would pay for what he consumes and not for what some one else wastes.

AND SUCH IS POLITICS

POLITICS is said to be a sharp game.

If that be so it must be one of sharpers playing the voters for fools.

Look at the Chicago municipal election, of this week, as evidence and conclusive proof.

In the campaign moil and turmoil it was shouted and roared that William R. Hearst had contributed $100,000 to the success of the Democratic candidate and the Democratic national committee $50,000 to the same end.

The first is an improbability, the second an impossibility. Hearst is regarded as a splendid spender, when it comes to promoting his many newspapers, but he has never been known to be wantonly extravagant in contributions to political purposes $100,000 would be wanton in him and anyone else, for that matter.

As for the Democratic national committee it is a widely known fact that it is without funds to any substantial amount and it has rather a sorry time of it to keep up an air of respectability and consequence in its headquarters.

Perhaps, nearly every newspaper in Chicago joined the politicians in the hue and cry of these silly charges, perhaps, out of envy of Hearst's local papers, but it was no credit to them, at that, to try to delude the electorate.

Ironton is nursing a daylight saving move. Nuther sign she is waking up, though we were never exactly convinced that this daylight saving business ever got anybody anywhere. Sort of violates the old scheme of early to rise and early to bed.

New York-Day-By-Day

BY O. O. McINTYRE

NEW YORK, April 7—Allez Zup!—which among acrobats is the cry before a big jump—could well be shouted in the cafes. For a big jump is on in prices. The double-deck cover charge has slapped the diner-out right smack in the face and left him dizzy.

At the Club Petroushka, the newest chawhammer and caviar mosque, they are charging $2 to sit down on one floor and $2 more a floor higher where you are flushed up to drink coffee. Four berries or smackers in all.

And if you think New Yorkers resent this newest tilt, try to get a table—just try to get one, that's all. The cafe is Russian, presumably so because it has a Greek head waiter. New York is funny that way, there is always an excuse for whatever it does.

The idea has been bruited about that the cafe is run by titled refugees. Every man who loses his job here becomes a titled refugee and finds out in a hurry how really silly he was ever to muss up his hands with toil and confess he was born in America.

In several other cafes the cover charge has been jacked up from $2 to $3. The Spring Drive is on. In each you are supposed to bring your own stuff and neatly printed cards on the table give a terrible warning that mixing a tall one is against the law and frowned upon by the management.

Yet each customer proves to be the exception and if he remains long enough he may be able to see the uniformed policeman stationed there relax long enough to do a little song and dance in the middle of the dance floor.

Just when one begins to notice the hectic life of Broadway has turned to dead ashes, something happens to rekindle the flame. A tour of the night places is convincing that Broadway has set a new and wild pace. It may be the final dying gasp, but, if so, the old street is going to die with its boots on, so to speak.

He was a head-waiter at a rather exclusive west side family hotel six years ago. The other evening I saw him in a white jacket dealing "ham and" off the arm in an eatery that did not even have covers for the table. It seems to me when one hits the toboggan here the descent is more rapid than anywhere else. Within the past fortnight I saw increasing evidence of this. A man who two years ago had a fine photograph studio just off Fifth avenue was on an East Side street making penny tintypes in a covered wagon. In neither case did it appear to be liquor or a disinclination to work. It just happens.

A counter move is being made against the acres of restaurants in the Longacre district—where stacks of wheats and indigestible pastry form the principal diet. In several vacant rooms, vigorous, red corpuscled appearing men are delivering free lectures and illustrating them with charts of the human frame. They shout that New Yorkers are hurriedly eating their way to the grave. And when they have finished they sell books on how to eat and when.

We may as well string this out with restaurant reflections. The oldest woman I have ever seen smoke a cigarette was in one of those "Southern" tea-rooms in Forty-Seventh street. She wore a little black poke bonnet and a shoulder shawl which added to the incongruity. She puffed at the cigarette and sipped her demitasse as nonchalantly as the spryest flapper, yet when she started to go two younger women had to help her to her feet. I don't know whether this was the effect of the cigarette or the weight of years, but, anyway, Grandma ought to get a good talking to. She has no business acting that way right out in public.

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Abe Martin

A dry ferret is like any other ferret. If he has good luck thet's no tellin' when he'll come out. An' B. that town is a place where a woman hain't afraid t' be seen on th' street before breakfast.

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Doc Koko's KOLUM

Let Us Be Better Men

Let us be better men!
Let us find things to do
Saner and sweeter than any yet.
Higher and nobler and true!

Let us be better men!
Let us begin again,
Trying all over the best we know
To climb and develop and grow.

Let us be better men!
Whether with pick or pen,
The labor we do is a work worth while
If our hearts are clean and our spirits smile
And out of the ruck and rust and stain
We make some growth and we mark some gain.

Let us be better men!
In a world that needs so much
The lifter spirits touch.
Let us grow upward toward the light,
Wedded to wanting to do the right,
Rather than wedded to human might.
—Author Unknown.

A He'luva Way

Old Satan favors discontent
Our lofty plans to balk:
He often starts an argument,
And works while others talk.
—Illinois Red Man.

Good Reasons

I started home and my blues were gone and I sang on the elevated and I can't sing for sour apples because I strained my voice years ago singing "Sweet Adeline" with Brother—— and Brother—— and Brother——, whose names are ommitted for two good reasons and both of them are my eyes.—Mack Magrath in Two Hundred Nine.

AINT IT A GRAND AND GLORIOUS FEELING — BY BRIGGS

Try This on Your Doc

A printer received an inquiry from a surgeon who wanted bids on several thousand letter-heads, different sizes, grades and colors, and he wanted the form held standing.

The printer wrote back: "Am in the market for one operation for appendicitis, one, two, or five-inch incision, with or without ether; also with or without nurse. Quotations must include putting appendix back and cancelling the order if found sound. Successful bidder is expected to hold incision open for sixty days as I expect to be in the market for an operation for gallstones, and I want to save the extra cost of cutting."—Judge.

Her Error

Mother—Jimmie! You've got a black eye and your clothing is torn to shreds. How often have I told you not to play with those bad boys?

Jimmie—Do I look like I'd been playing, mother?

BERTON BRALEY'S DAILY POEM

IT DOESN'T LAST

By Berton Braley

THE foxy boys are numerous
Who dodge the felon-herder,
And who, in fashion humorous,
Can "get away with murder."
The decalogue—they play with it,
And some folks call them clever:
But—they don't get away with it
Forever

JUST when they reach the pinnacle
These schemers, plotters, spoilers,
Who look in manner cynical
On plain, hard-working toilers,
They find they cannot stay with it,
Far smashes their endeavor:
For they can't get away with it
Forever

THE wicked sin most merrily
And seem to thrive upon it,
But in the end, yea verily,
They're swatted on the bonnet!
Right's right, so don't get gay with it,
For though your graft be clever,
You cannot get away with it
Forever

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Wanting

Doris—Mother's changed her mind; she don't want kidneys, she wants liver.

Butcher—What your mother wants, my dear, is brains.

Complete

Mrs. Newlywed (giving first order to butcher over phone)—Please send me a pound of steak.

Butcher—And what else, please?

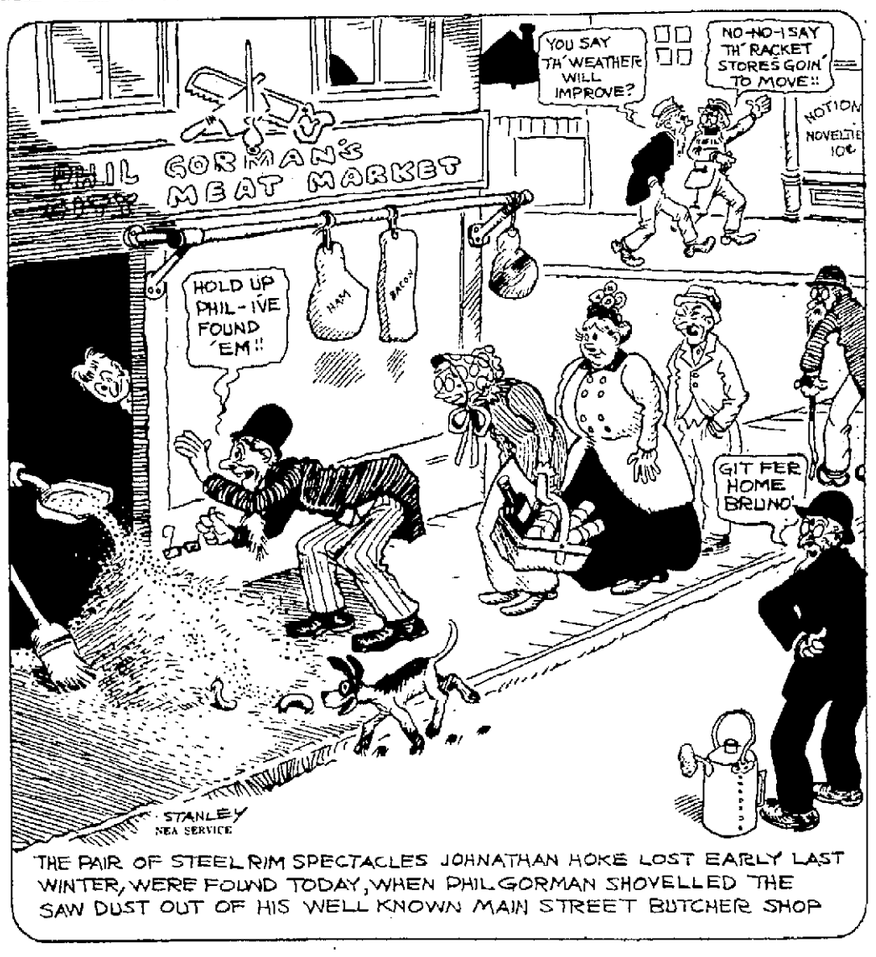
Mrs. Newlywed—And—and some gravy.

Adam, Junior

"Say, boy," said a grocer to a boy standing by the side of a barrel of apples, "are you tryin' to steal them apples?"

"No—no, sir," faltered the youngster, "I'm tryin' not to!"

THE OLD HOME TOWN — BY STANLEY



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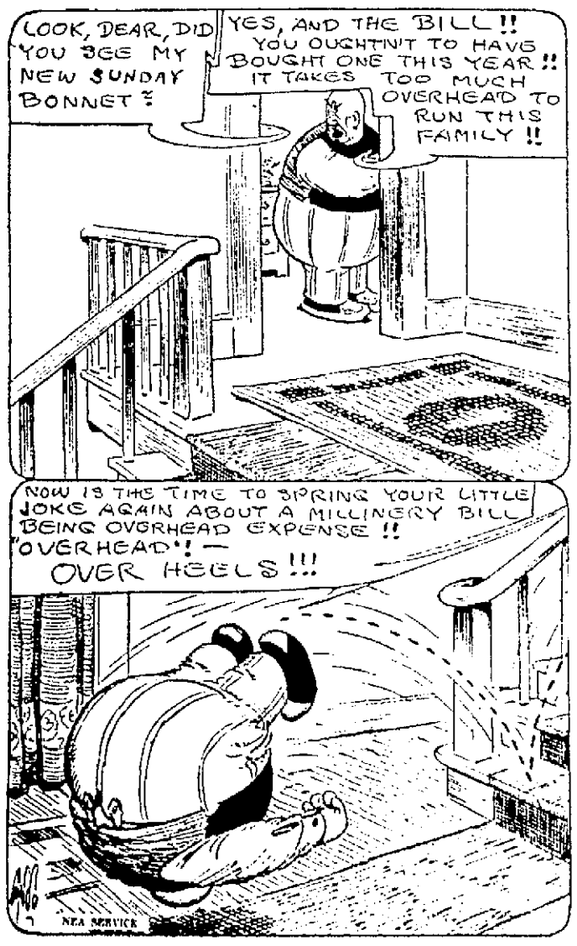

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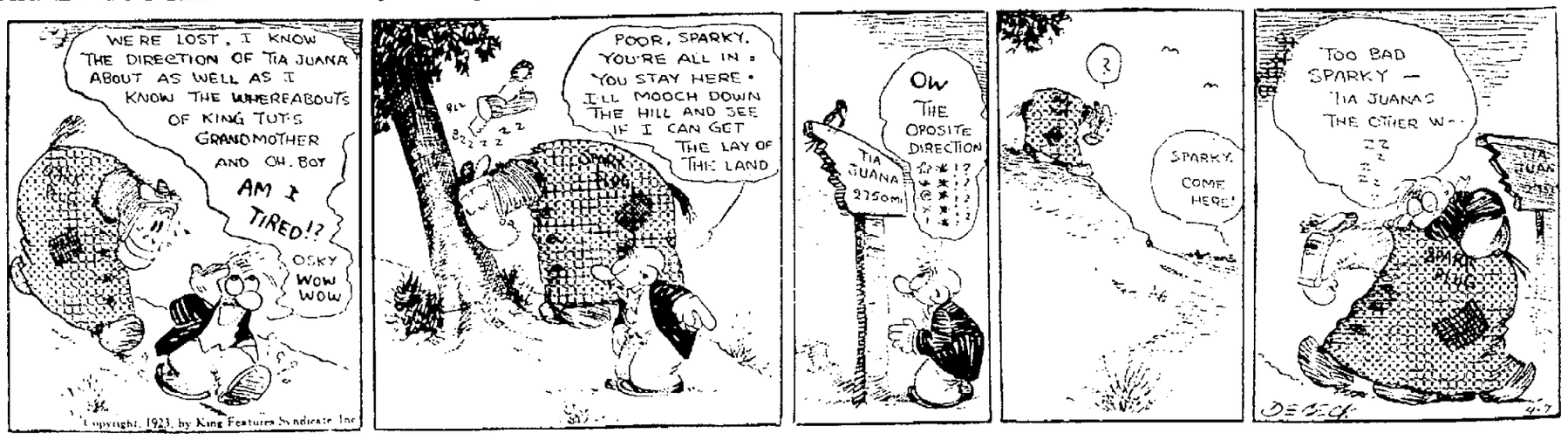
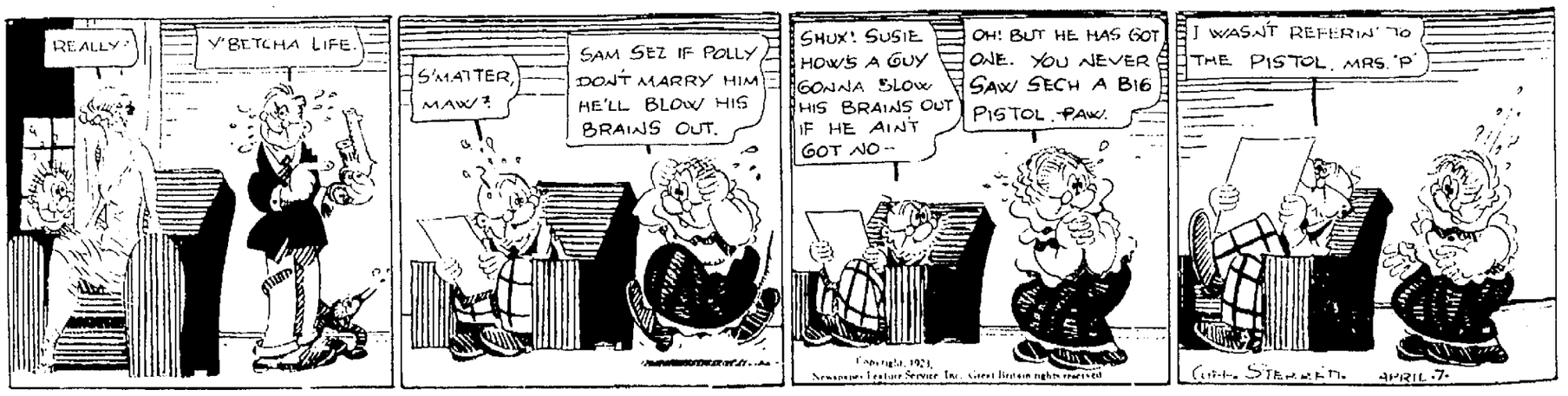
POLLY AND HER PALS — He Might Shoot A Vacuum Full Of Holes — BY CLIFF STERRETT